

## SYNDICATE BUYS THE "CAMERON"

## Famous Hostelry is Desposed Of

## DEAL CLOSED LAST NIGHT

## Landlord Smith Gets Sum of \$3,500 For Former Leading Hotel

The Cameron house, Second and Vine streets, one of the oldest hotels in La Crosse, was sold yesterday afternoon by Fred B. Smith, proprietor, to Allanson & Murphy, holders of the lunch room privilege along the lines of the entire Milwaukee system. The consideration was given out as \$3,500. The new owners took possession last night.

For several months past the Allanson & Murphy News company, the titular name of the new purchasers, have made efforts to purchase the once popular hotel. Mr. Smith, also proprietor of the Hotel Stoddard, refused to sell but the pressure of other business prompted him to close out.

The Cameron house was established March 1, 1880 by Fox & Smith. D. P. Smith is the father of Fred B. Smith. Fifteen years ago Mr. Fox closed out his interest and F. B. Smith undertook the management, buying his father's interest. Since then he has operated the hotel.

Mr. Smith owned the furnishings in the hotel proper and the building and land occupied by the lunch room, north of Vine street. These are included in the bill of sale. The Cameron house had been run by the Smiths, father and son, for twenty-seven years.

Allanson & Murphy will make a few changes about the hotel, but probably will conduct it as heretofore. A few improvements are promised.

The personnel of the office force may be changed, but nothing has been done today. The changes probably will not be made until the new owners become acquainted better with their property.

## CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET

(Quoted by Wis. Grain & Stock Co.)  
Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; left over, 1,500; market steady. Light, \$6.20 to \$6.42; heavy, \$6.10 to \$6.50; mixed and butchers, \$6.25 to \$6.50; rough, \$6.15 to \$6.25. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 36,000.

Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; steady.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; steady.

Minneapolis Cash Grain

Close: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 78½¢;

No. 1 northern, 77½¢; No. 2 northern,

75½¢ to 75¾¢; No. 3 northern, 72¢

to 73¢.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 36¼¢; No. 3,

35½¢.

Oats—No. 3 white, 32¾¢; No. 3,

30¾¢ to 31¾¢.

Barley—41¢ to 49¢.

Rye—56¼¢ to 58¼¢.

## WEATHER FORECAST

• Fair and colder tonight and

• Wednesday.

• Coldest, 20; warmest, 40; wind,

• 12 miles.

## OTTENS IS TAKEN TO WATERTOWN

## Man Sought Here For Pass- ing Bad Money Was Shot There

Ernest Ottens, awaiting trial in circuit court here on a charge of passing counterfeit money, has been taken from the Emergency hospital at Milwaukee, Wis., to Watertown, Wis., to answer to a charge of burglary. Ottens has been identified as the man who attempted to rob a store at Watertown and was shot.

Ottens applied at the Rescue Mission home in Milwaukee Saturday for medical aid to have two bullets extracted from an arm and thigh. At that time it was thought he was wanted in Chicago for burglarizing express cars. An attempt to identify him failed.

Yesterday Gerhard Butzler, night policeman at Watertown, went to Milwaukee and identified Ottens as the man shot by him while entering the clothing store of Hertell & Hoffman early Saturday morning. Two shots were fired at Ottens, while fleeing, and they took effect. The policeman believes that Ottens took one of the early morning trains from the Watertown yards to Milwaukee.

Ottens now denies that he is the man. He claims he received the wounds from a companion in Chicago while playing poker. He says he was caught cheating and then shot. Sunday Ottens said he received the bullet wounds while being held up in the Milwaukee yards.

The shoes and cap left in the Hertell & Hoffman store fit Ottens perfectly. Other witnesses have been secured to identify the prisoner.

The La Crosse police will allow the Watertown officials to prosecute the case against Ottens. He will not be brought back here for trial if a conviction is secured at Watertown. In event he is found not guilty, he will be returned to La Crosse. The case in circuit court probably will be called tomorrow and continued.

## ROAD WON'T PAY FOR HER BEAUTY

Miss Lettie Mae Rowley's beauty is not worth \$3,000, nor is happiness in gliding over the dance floor worth it.

Claiming that the damages awarded the Mount Tabor, Wis., belle by a jury in circuit court at Mauston, Wis., were excessive, C. A. Veeder, attorney for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road argued for a new trial before Judge Fruit this morning. J. T. Dithmar, attorney for the young woman, appeared for her.

Miss Rowley was awarded \$3,000 damages for an injury to her knee by a truck of the defendant. She claims she is unable to dance and that the injury is permanent.

Judge Fruit reserved decision on the arguments.

## DOC COMING TO ANSWER CHARGE

Dr. John Hierdahl, alias Dr. John Under, will be returned from Madison, Wis., tonight to answer to a charge of grand larceny tomorrow. Hierdahl was arrested by the Madison police on complaint of the local department.

It is alleged that Hierdahl stole a coat valued at \$75 along with other articles from one of the local underworld women.

## SELLS HOLLAND FARM

John L. Becker has sold to Peter Bissen, farm lands in the town of Holland for a consideration of \$3,000. The deed was filed today.

## MORE JUNK FOR THE OLD JUNK HEAP

## Agents of Old Light Trust Go East in Search of "New" Machinery

The La Crosse Gas & Electric company, announces that it is going to make vast additions and improvements in its present plant.

Philo M. Gelatt, who became connected with the Gas & Electric company at the time the Central Electric company changed hands, is announced have gone east to inspect and oversee the loading and transportation of the machinery. It is announced that Mr. Gelatt will see all of the machinery on the cars before returning, which means that he will be certain that it was loaded on the cars before he comes back. As to the style and quality of the machinery which Mr. Gelatt will see loaded, little is given out.

It is presumed, however, that Superintendent Gelatt will secure machinery which will compare favorably with the machinery now in use in the plant of the company, of similar design, etc., to secure a uniform appearance and service throughout the plant. While much of the machinery in use in the present plant is second hand, and worn, it produces electricity even more shocking than a much more modern plant, though not so much of it, or in quite as dependable quantities.

As said before, the machinery which Superintendent Gelatt will see loaded on the cars and headed for La Crosse, will compare well with the equipment of the present plant, a large portion of which, it is understood, Mr. Gelatt also saw bought and placed upon the cars.

It is announced also that the company will build an addition as large as the present plant in which to install the machinery.

## STAMP SALES ARE \$6,279.13 MORE

An increase of \$6,279.13 in the stamp sales at the La Crosse postoffice for the year 1906 compared with 1905 is found.

Postmaster W. B. Tschanner has compiled the figures for the sales during the two years, showing the large growth in the local office.

The principal increases during 1906 were made in January and September although slight increases occurred during other months. The February and March sales of 1905 are greatly in advance of those for 1906.

Following is the table, comparing the sales:

	1905.	1906.
January .....	\$ 8,840.19	\$ 10,154.64
February .....	10,309.82	9,513.51
March .....	17,096.04	13,987.96
April .....	7,254.26	7,826.85
May .....	6,748.10	6,680.11
June .....	6,515.20	6,349.20
July .....	5,785.09	7,092.19
August .....	7,020.63	9,587.77
September .....	6,861.37	11,164.56
October .....	7,736.63	7,736.59
November .....	6,898.30	7,011.73
December .....	8,498.33	8,167.78
Total .....	\$99,593.76	\$105,872.89
Increase, \$6,279.13.		

## THUNDER SUNDAY NIGHT

Two distinct claps of thunder, accompanied by lightning were heard in La Crosse Sunday night, toward midnight. Raining at the time, it formed one of the most peculiar freaks of the weather heard of here in years.

## FARMERS CONVERTED BY TELEPHONE

## Bad Roads Prevent Attendance so Evangelist Preaches to Them by Wire

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 8.—Five hundred telephones are connected every evening with a receiver alongside the pulpit of the Methodist church in Neponsett where revival services are being conducted. Neighboring towns and farmers of the district avail themselves of the opportunity to listen to the sermons.

The roads are so bad from the open winter that transportation into town almost impossible.

Reports of a number of conversions by telephone are coming in.

## HYDE RETIRES FROM BATAVIAN

## A. Hirshheimer Vice-President; Smith Named on Board

S. Y. Hyde, vice president of the Batavian National bank, and interested in several large commercial institutions in La Crosse, has resigned his position with the bank and also as a director. The step of Mr. Hyde's is simply in line with his retirement from active participation in affairs.

When the S. Y. Hyde Elevator company sold out its holdings, Mr. Hyde announced that he planned to retire and since then has been arranging his affairs that he might retire.

Forrest J. Smith and F. A. Copeland have purchased Mr. Hyde's interest in the bank.

## Election of Officers

A. Hirshheimer, president of the La Crosse Plow company, was elected vice president of the Batavian National bank to succeed S. Y. Hyde, vice president, resigned, this afternoon at the annual election of officers. By C. Smith was elected a member of the board of directors to succeed Mr. Hyde.

Following are the officers elected: President—E. E. Bentley. Vice president—A. Hirshheimer. Cashier—E. M. Wing. Assistant cashier—J. C. Bayer.

## WANTS MULES ON MISSOURI'S ARMS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—A resolution introduced in the house today to have two mules replace the bears on Missouri's coat of arms was killed by parliamentary rule. The author says he will continue his effort to secure the change.

## APPLETON POSTMASTER

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—M. F. Barteau has been appointed postmaster at Appleton, Wis.

## GRANTS ANOTHER REPRIEVE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—The governor today granted Hottman an additional ninety days' reprieve, and asked whether it was necessary to reprieve Aggie Meyers, or if the appeal granted by the court acts as a stay. The attorney general will give an opinion before Thursday.

Members of the local social democratic club met at 419 Jay street last night and voted for seven delegates to the national convention.

Lots of women get married before they can afford to.

## BOARD OF TRADE TO TALK TONIGHT

## Will Thresh Out Problem of Banquet and of Boosting Town

Several important problems, including the question whether and when the board of trade should hold an annual banquet will be threshed out at the monthly meeting of the board tonight.

The advertising committee has a plan for placing the name of La Crosse before the manufacturers of the northwest. The plan, if it goes into effect, should serve to "boost" La Crosse wonderfully.

The banquet committee will ask for more orders. Tentative arrangements for a banquet have been made, but it is desired to have the board pass upon them before announcement.

The entertainment committee may prepare a paper for the banquet. It is desired to get the opinion of the board before this is attempted or further plans formulated.

All the members of the board are wanted at the meeting tonight because of the important problems to be considered.

## YEOMAN INSTALL OFFICERS

The Yeomen will install newly elected officers Thursday evening at Woodman hall. The society is now in a very prosperous condition and under the new officers promises to grow and prosper as never before. After Thursday the following new officers will have charge of the destinies of the local lodge of the order for the next year:

Foreman—John Markel. Master of ceremonies—J. W. Boise. Correspondent—W. B. Batchelder. Master of accounts—E. J. Stien. Chaplain—Mrs. Roth.

## HALF CLAD ISLANDERS SUFFER WITH COLD WAVE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

MANILA, Jan. 8.—A cold wave is sweeping the islands. The temperature is 55.6, the lowest in history. Natives are suffering with no clothes for such a change.

## Presidential Visit

MANILA, Jan. 8.—The Filipinos expect Taft and Roosevelt to visit the islands next October. The press is enthusiastic over the prospects. The elections are to be held July 30.

## INSPECT THE POOR FARM

Poor Commissioners Sol Burdick, J. M. Pierce and Elias Jones paid a visit to the poor farm for their quarterly inspection today.

## NO CHORAL REHEARSAL

The La Crosse Choral club will hold no rehearsal tonight. The time and place of the next meeting will be announced later.

## WILL LISTEN TO SILENT PLEADING

## So Announces Preacher- Governor of Col- orado Today

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 8.—Henry A. Buchtel, chancellor of the University of Denver and Methodist Episcopal minister, was inaugurated governor of Colorado today in the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church. The ceremonies had the appearance of a ministerial function.

An inaugural parade preceded. There will be no inaugural ball, but a reception will be held tonight at the capitol.

He recommends a railroad commission to regulate rates, giving roads just consideration and having authority to permit special rates to aid new industries. He wants the influence of lobbyists minimized, school teachers paid more, favors convict labor and says he will pay more attention to the silent pleadings of the common people than to all the pleadings of those always seeking something from the state.

## Too Much Johnson

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 8.—There is considerable Johnson in the Minnesota public eye today. Governor John D. Johnson will send a message to the legislature tomorrow. L. H. Johnson was today elected speaker of the house, and Adolph E. L. Johnson was chosen chief clerk.

## Senator Warren Renominated

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 8.—Warren was renominated for senator today by the republicans.

## Primary for California

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 8.—Governor Pardee in his message today urged a primary law similar to Illinois.

## FALLS DOWN ELEVATOR

While placing a "form" of type upon the elevator in The Tribune office yesterday afternoon, the safety device upon the elevator gave way and Foreman Theodore Olson was precipitated to the pressroom fifteen feet below. Page three was, as a consequence, "pied," and a considerable volume of news and advertising matter had to be omitted in last night's issue, a page of stories being inserted to avoid delay in delivery of The Tribune. Mr. Olson, while bruised and scratched about the arms and hands, escaped serious injury, fortunately.

## FIVE SEEK JOBS IN LEGISLATURE

Civil service examinations for positions at the state legislature during the present session were held in the offices of Winter, Esch & Winter, McMillan building, today. Five took the tests.

The applicants, with the examination taken, are:

Melvin B. Johnson, West Salem, postmaster.

Leonard Kleeber, La Crosse, assistant sergeant at arms.

R. E. Smith, Galesville, Wis., journal clerk.

E. N. Sebo, Farmington, assistant sergeant at arms.

C. A. Worth, La Crosse, index clerk.

## MARRIED AT MINNEAPOLIS

Leo Larson, a former employe of the La Crosse Engraving company, and Miss Hilda Jacobus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jacobus, 1234 La Crosse street, were married at Minneapolis Jan. 5. A sister of the bride received news of the wedding today.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson will reside in Minneapolis, where Mr. Larson is employed.

## HOLD UP CORTELYOU NOMINATION

## No Hurry, Say Sen- ators Opposed

## PRESIDENT WINS VICTORY

## In Brownsville Affair and Government is Called a "Buttinsky"

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—At the request of Teller and Daniels the senate today held up the nominations of Cortelyou and Garfield for secretaries of the treasury and interior. Their only excuse was they do not take their offices until March 4, and there is no hurry to confirm their nominations.

## President's Victory

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—The question of the president's authority in the Brownsville affair will not be discussed by the senate committee. The president is victorious to this extent.

## Government Too Official

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—Senator Overman today discussed the tendency toward centralization of governmental powers, and said the regulation of child labor and education within the states was an encroachment upon the prerogatives of the people which they would not stand.

## INQUIRY INTO THE CAMP SITE

A special from Washington today says: Congressman Esch called on the war department about the trouble over getting land for the Wisconsin rifle range. He requested that owing to the difficulties over enforcing expired options given by property owners they now want more money, action be deferred until a board of inquiry can be sent to Wisconsin to investigate. The authorities have agreed. Mr. Esch is receiving congratulations on the fact that at the last session he introduced the first compulsory block signal law. In view of recent wrecks and the intense agitation in congress, the matter has suddenly assumed great importance.

## POWERS POSTPONES BASEBALL MEETING

John A. Elliott, president of the La Crosse Baseball club, did not leave to attend the annual meeting of the Wisconsin State league, scheduled for Eau Claire, Wis., today. Last night the meeting was postponed. John Powers, president of the league, called off the meeting because he is ready. The meeting will be held Jan. 20.

## WED AT ONALASKA

Donald Comeau and Cora Jensen, Onalaska, were wedded to Onalaska. The bride and groom prominent young people of the



# DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

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Prices will undoubtedly reach the lowest limit in this gigantic sale of Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

Wednesday, Jan. 9th  
M. & C. NEWBURG  
Corner Third and Pearl Sts.  
La Crosse, Wis.

## SAVE THIS AND WAIT UNTIL WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9th AT 9 A. M.

The entire \$30,000 stock of M. & C. Newburg, Cor. 3rd and Pearl Streets, La Crosse, Wisconsin's Greatest Clothiers, to be placed on sale and sold at retail for less than the actual cost to manufacture, in order to raise a large amount of money to pay the retiring partner in cash. Open Wednesday, January 9th, at 9 A. M.

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\$30,000 worth of high grade Clothing, Hats and Furnishings will be sold for less than the cost to manufacture.

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# ...DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP... M. & C. NEWBURG

(One of the Newburgs will retire.) After 16 years of business life in La Crosse, one of the Newburgs will retire from business. We are now remarking and rearranging our stock, the building is now CLOSED AND WILL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL

## WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9TH AT 9:00 A. M.

When Our Entire Stock will be placed on Sale and will be sold for Less Than Actual Cost of the Raw Material in Order to raise a large amount of Cash to Pay the Retiring Partner

After 16 years of active business life the Newburgs will dissolve partnership. We find ourselves with an enormous stock consisting of more than \$30,000.00 worth of high grade Tailor Made Clothing, Furnishing Goods and Hats on our hands. Rather than to sacrifice our immense stock to some outside individual we will place the entire stock on Sale to be sold at Retail for less than their actual cost to manufacture. This will be a most stupendous undertaking to close out this mammoth \$30,000.00 Stock at Retail in 10 days, but the prices we have placed on the goods will move them out rapidly. This Sale will be held in our large building, Corner Third and Pearl Streets, La Crosse, Wis., and the WORLD'S GREATEST CLOTHING SALE will begin at La Crosse, Wis., Wednesday, January 9th, at 9 A. M. The opening will be a gala day. Bring the children—there will be music all day. It will pay you to come 100 miles to visit this sale. Excursion rates on all roads. Never again will you have such a golden opportunity to dress in such rich raiment at such trifling cost.

## OVERCOATS

You can save at least two-thirds the price you would have to pay the regular retailer.

Splendid Overcoats in medium, heavy and light weights. \$2.98

This Overcoat is of the finest material and is positively worth \$10.00. We will allow you to take this coat home and keep it five days, and if you do not think it worth \$10.00, or no matter what the cause may be, you may return the same, and we hereby bind ourselves to refund the \$2.98.

Men's nice, good, durable Overcoats in black and brown, for Sunday wear, positively worth \$15.00, at \$4.85

Men's fine Royal Standard Kersey Overcoats in black and blue positively worth \$26.00, at \$7.98

## Men's and Boys' Trousers

Men's fine Dress Pants, worth \$3.00, or your money refunded. 98c

Men's fine Trousers, for Sunday wear, in worsted and stripes; positively worth \$5.00, \$6.00, and \$7.00, or your money refunded. \$2.37

1,000 pairs of boys' Knee Pants, worth \$1.00, at 39c

Men's fine Overcoats in silk and satin linings, Oxford, black and dark blue shades, worth \$18.00, or your money refunded, no matter what the cause, may be, at \$6.98

The finest quality of custom tailor-made and imported Royal Standard Kerseys, all shades and lined with plush, silk or astrakhan, \$12.99, positively worth \$30.00, or your money refunded at any time during this sale. \$12.99

About 250 Overcoats, some satin lined, and others silk, positively worth from \$20.00 to \$22.00, or money refunded at any time during the sale. \$6.89

Boys' Suits and Overcoats, worth \$3.50, at 98c

## Sensational Bargains in Boys', Children's and

## Men's Clothing

A fine suit of Men's Clothes, \$2.98 all to match.

This suit is positively worth \$10.00, or your money refunded at any time during this sale.

Men's fine suits, Cheviots and Scotch Plaids, worth \$13.50, or money refunded any time during sale. \$4.98

Men's fine suits in Valour finished Cassimeres, all sizes. This is positively worth \$16.50, or your money back. \$5.85

Venetian lined dress suits, in plain checks and stripes. This suit is positively worth \$25.00. \$7.48

At \$9.98 each you are free to choose a suit or overcoat worth \$22.50 to \$25.00 from 20 lots of as finely made and elegantly finished suits and overcoats as the most fastidious dresser

could desire; fine home and foreign suiting and overcoatings of style and tone, and in great variety of effects, tailored into garments of faultless fashion—Kersey, Melton and Whipcord Overcoats; black, blue, brown, tan and drab, diagonal, cheviot, vicuna, homespun, tweed, cashmere suits, breasted and single and double. \$9.98

At \$12.98 and \$14.85. These represent the product of the world's celebrated looms and the world's most skillful tailors. They equal and guarantee to excel any \$30.00 made to order garment in the world or we cheerfully refund your money. Men's extra fine dress suits, latest styles and shades, heavy silk and satin lined, equal to the finest tailor-made-to-order suit, for \$14.85 and. \$12.48

Don't Fail to See This Suit.

## Underwear Almost Given Away

Men's Finest Summer and Winter Underwear at Less Than Cost of Manufacture

### UNDERWEAR FOR MEN

Men's fleece-lined Underwear 39c

Good heavy Underwear for men and boys, worth \$1, \$2 and \$3, at 38c, 59c and 79c

## FURNISHINGS

### MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

100 dozen men's Negligee Shirts, of the latest 1906 pattern; worth \$1.00; price. 37c

75 dozen men's shirts, stiff bosom, white and fancy patterns, worth \$1.00; price. 33c

Negligee shirts, worth \$1.00; price. 49c

Men's heavy work socks, worth 25c; at 3c

Men's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, fancy border, worth 25c; price. 3c

Men's silk embroidered suspenders, worth 50c; price. 6c

Men's high grade Linen Collars worth 15c; price. 3c

Men's all wool long comb Austrian fibre Sweaters, plain and fancy, worth from \$1.75 to \$3; price. 69c

100 dozen Ties, worth 25c; price. 6c

Children's Knee Pants, worth 50c; price. 9c

Best work Shirts on earth, worth 75c; price. 37c

Men's fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c; price. 19c

Men's fine Dress Gloves, worth \$1.00; price. 39c

Men's work Gloves, 50c and 75c grades, at 33c

## HAT DEPARTMENT

Men's Stiff Hats, in all the latest Knox and Dunlap shapes, worth up to \$3.00; price. 98c

Men's Fedoras, in black, brown, light and pearl shades, worth \$3.40; all go at 98c

Men's Fedoras, in all the newest shades and styles, positively worth \$4.00, our price. \$1.39

200 dozen men's and boys' caps, none worth less than \$1.00, all go at 33c

100 DOZ. MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS AT 49c

## OUR GUARANTEE:

We assure each and every Purchase Absolute Satisfaction. We Guarantee every Garment, every Piece of Goods and every statement herein made, and will take back, exchange or refund your money for any unsatisfactory reason whatever.

NOTHING RESERVED EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD IN TEN DAYS.

Mark the Date and  
Mark it Well

Wed. Jan. 9th

At 9 A. M.

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La Crosse, Wis.

## SALE POSITIVELY OPENS

Wednesday, Jan. 9, at 9 A. M. and Closes in 10 Days

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Corner Third and Pearl Sts.

La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Let nothing keep you  
away, the hour is set  
and the date you know.

Wed. Jan. 9th

At 9 A. M.

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La Crosse, Wis.

LOOK FOR THE LARGE BLUE SIGN COVERING THE ENTIRE BUILDING



# LA CROSSE THEATRE

## Sat., Jan. 12 MATINEE AND NIGHT

MR. JOHN COSH PRESENTS

# MAX FIGMAN



The Foremost Comedian of the American Stage in  
**The Man on The Box**

300 NIGHTS in  
NEW YORK ::

The Most Conspicuous Comedy Success of Years in the Metropolis. :: :: ::

Seats ready Thursday Evening.

Prices, Matinee Balcony, - - - 25c 50c and 75c  
" First Floor, - - - 50c 75c and \$1.00  
" Evening Gallery - - - 25c  
" Balcony, - - - 50c 75c and \$1.00  
" First Floor - - - \$1.00 and \$1.50

**Dana's Band Concert** GALLERY 25c.  
1ST AND 2ND  
Thursday Eve. January 10 FLOOR 50c.

## OPERATION MAKES MISS FOSTER SICK

Miss Tillie Foster who was injured on a train at Sparta by a tramp who cut her several times with a knife, is seriously ill at her home on Ferry street.

She was operated upon Friday for

an abscess. Dr. Rowles is attending her.

Mrs. J. H. O'Brien of Abbottsford, Wis., is visiting at the Murphy home on Gould street.

Albert Oehler, a well known butcher, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be seriously ill and has slept two days.

Ernest Gorsuch of Mill street, is ill.

## FRACTURE TWO FINGERS IN FALL

Mrs. Kate Sheridan, living with Mr. and Mrs. John Coney, 802 Caledonia street, fell on an icy walk last evening and fractured two fingers. Dr. Suiter reduced the fractures.

## RUNAWAY HITS TELEPHONE POLE

The spirited team of John A. Salzer crashed into a telephone pole in front of Harrier's grocery store on Mill street when they came to a standstill today after running over the cause.

The sleigh was somewhat damaged but no one was injured.

## CHURCHES UNITE IN PRAYER WEEK

The North Presbyterian and the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal churches will have a week of prayer beginning this evening at the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. W. J. Turner will officiate this evening and tomorrow evening. Thursday and Friday Rev. A. L. Wood will speak at the North Presbyterian church.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. CHAS. MCCRATHY

The remains of Mrs. Charles McCrathy, formerly Mrs. D. Herrington of the North side, arrived in this city late yesterday afternoon from Kaukauna, Wis., and were taken to the

home of her daughter, Mrs. John

Donovan of Caledonia street.

Death was due to heart trouble and rheumatism.

Deceased was born in Lindsay, Ont., and came in 1857 from New York to Dane county, Wisconsin, and later to La Crosse where she made her home for about twenty-five years. From here she went to Kaukauna, Wis., where she had lived for about thirteen years.

Those who survive are her daughters, Mrs. Peter Horahan of Caledonia, Mrs. Patrick M. McCaulay of the North side, Mrs. John Donovan, Mrs. Frank Berger of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, and sons, Michael Herrington of Austin, Minn., Con Herrington of La Crosse, Franz C. Herrington, Aberdeen, S. D., Daniels of Wells, Minn., and F. J. Herrington of Antigo, Wis.

Two brothers, Patrick Driscoll of Blue Earth, Minn., and John Driscoll of Appleton, Wis., also survive.

James McCaulay, a grandson who resides on Caledonia street and has been in Minneapolis for some time is here to attend the funeral.

A large number of relatives are also here from Caledonia to attend the funeral which will take place tomorrow morning from the St. James church on Caledonia street. Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating and William Dwyer in charge with interment in the Catholic cemetery.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Miss Laura Tidball who has been visiting here for the past few days has returned to her home in Onalaska.


Carl Spreen, who has been visiting at his home on Sumner street for the last few days, will leave shortly for Mobridge, S. D., where he will be employed on the Pacific extension of the Milwaukee road.

Little Agnes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Murphy of Gould and Avon streets who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is much improved.

## CITY NEWS

Adolph Reim spent Sunday in the city as the guest of friends. He resides in Milwaukee, Wis.

William G. McKay has resigned his position as secretary and treasurer of the La Crosse Ceiling and Cornice company and left for Chicago. He



## NATIONAL CIGAR STANDS

### The Economy of a Straight Line

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## HAWLEY, JONES OR BUBSER IS THE BASEBALL "DOPE"

Two Secondary Stars are Under Con-  
sideration, but Hawley will no  
Doubt be Retained

"Bumpus" Jones or George Bubser  
for manager of the La Crosse base-  
ball team for the 1907 season if "Pink"  
Hawley is not re-elected.

This is the baseball situation in La  
Crosse today, previous to the special  
meeting of the club to elect a vice  
president and treasurer. A manager  
also will be chosen at this meeting.

Though there is a well defined feel-  
ing that "Pink" Hawley ought to be  
retained for manager in 1907 some  
may advocate the release of former  
national leaguer on account of the  
heavy expense attached to maintain-  
ing a bench manager. Many fans con-  
tend that Hawley ought to be retained  
for the season, if for no other reason  
than to show the appreciation of La  
Crosse for his efforts during the last  
two seasons when the championship  
was won after hard battles.

Other teams secured professional  
players to do battle with La Crosse  
for the coveted pennant, while La  
Crosse pluggd along with the same  
old team, winning out through team  
work and heavy managing in a tight  
pinch. Contenders for the champi-  
onship spent nearly the year's salary of  
Hawley to secure pitchers and extra  
men to wrest the pennant from La  
Crosse.

If the directors decide to release

Hawley, he will not be without a  
berth. Green Bay will take Hawley  
at a premium while other clubs prob-  
ably would be willing to give a good  
round price for the genial manager of  
the Champs. At any rate, "Pink"  
probably will say goodbye to the  
Wisconsin State league if he succeeds  
in winning another pennant this year,  
no matter with what team he is con-  
nected.

Big league owners have watched  
the work of the former pitcher with  
interest and probably will make an  
offer of several years' state league  
salaries to manage a team in the Amer-  
ican or National leagues in 1908.

With Hawley gone, Bubser and  
Jones are the two most prominent  
candidates for the managerial posi-  
tion. Bubser has a shade better of  
the argument now, for he has had ex-  
perience as a state league manager.  
It is said that Bubser is on the look-  
out for promising youngsters for the  
La Crosse club.

The entire argument is not with  
Bubser, however. Jones has had  
baseball experience in the Wiscon-  
sin State league and also the Three  
Eye league. He is a heady player  
and knows the game.

The directors probably will choose  
between one of these star pitchers  
if Hawley is not retained.

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as before, after you have made your selection you take off 20 Per Cent. Could anything be fairer?

Our store will be closed January 8th and 9th to remark and arrange our stock and will open for business Thursday, January 10th, 8:30 A. M., when  
our entire stock of clothing, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Underwear, Hosiery, Fur Coats, Duck and Corduroy Coats, Mackinaw and  
Sheep Lined, will be placed on sale to be closed out.

**THIS SALE WILL POSITIVELY CLOSE IN 15 DAYS**

The Continental Clothing House stock will be placed on sale beginning  
Thursday, January 10th, 1907, at 8:30 a. m., for 15 days only. Everybody  
should avail themselves of this opportunity, and take advantage of this  
timely offering right at the season of the year when this class of merchan-  
dise is most needed. If you value your money now is the time to buy.  
This will be a stupendous undertaking to close out this mammoth forty  
thousand dollar stock at retail in 15 days. The prices we have put on the  
goods will move them rapidly. This sale will be held in our large double  
entrance store building, corner of Fourth and Pearl Streets.

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opportunity to buy winter clothing at such low prices. This gigantic clear-  
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**THURSDAY, JANUARY 10th, 8:30 a. m.**

And Closes in 15 Days.

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first sale of this kind that ever occurred in La Crosse and it may never occur  
again, and in order to prove to you what tremendous sacrifices will be made  
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during this Gigantic Clearance Sale, our price..... **\$5.75**  
Not how cheap but how good for the money.  
Broken lines of Men's Suits, in warranted all wool Cheviots and Cassimeres and  
Mergerized worsteds, former selling prices \$10 and \$12.50, our Gigantic Clear-  
ance Sale price..... **\$6.65**  
Men's Finest Worsteds Suits, perhaps 200 suits in the lot, not all sizes of each kind  
but all sizes in the lot. Suits that sold at \$13.50, \$15.00 and \$16.50, our Gi-  
gantic Clearance Sale Price..... **\$9.95**  
Men's Overcoats in black, gray and fancy cheviot, former selling prices \$15, \$18,  
and \$20. Not all sizes of each lot. Our Gigantic Clearance Sale price..... **\$11.69**

### BOYS' LONG PANTS SUIT BARGAINS

Boys' Long Pants Suits in a large number of patterns, ages 14 to 19 years, values  
from \$6.50 to \$10. Our Gigantic Clearance Sale Price..... **\$4.95**  
Boys' 2-piece Knee Pants and Buster Brown Suits, ages 8 to 12 and 12 to 16 years,  
worth \$3.00 and \$3.50. Our Gigantic Clearance Sale Price..... **\$1.99**  
Boys' Long Stylish Overcoats ages 9 to 15; plain and velvet collar, former selling  
price \$3.50 and \$4.00. Our Gigantic Clearance Sale price..... **\$2.75**  
Boys' Knee Pants Suits, ages 8 to 16 years, in 2-piece Double-Breasted, 3-piece  
Single Breasted and the popular Norfolk Styles, also Buster Brown Etons  
and Sailor Collar Norfolk, ages 3 to 7 years, worth \$3.50, \$4.00 \$4.50 and \$5.00  
Our Gigantic Clearance Sale Price..... **\$2.65**  
Children's Reeler Coats, these coats are the greatest bargains ever offered in La  
Crosse, all colors, ages 4 to 9 years, worth from \$3.50 to \$7.50. Our Gigantic  
Clearance Sale Price..... **\$2.00**  
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worth from \$3.00 to \$5.00. Our Gigantic Clearance Sale price..... **\$2.00**  
Extra Quality Men's Working Pants, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25. Our Gigantic Clear-  
ance Sale Price..... **53c**  
Heavy all wool Kersey Pants, worth \$2 and \$2.50. Our Gigantic Clear. sale price **\$1.69**  
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Racine Union Made Overalls and Jackets in black and blue, sale price..... **45c**  
Men's all wool Sweaters in Navy and black, \$2.50 and \$3.00 quality. Our Clear-  
ance sale price..... **\$1.45**  
Men's Natural gray undershirts and drawers, regular \$1 value, sale price..... **72c**  
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sale price..... **33c**  
Men's Union made blue flannel shirts, reg. 25c value, sale price..... **21c**  
Men's Union made blue flannel shirts worth \$1.25, our gigantic clearance sale price **89c**  
Men's Outing Flannel shirts in plain brown and gray, special clearance sale price **39c**  
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Men's light pattern Soft Shirts, our regular 50c line, sale price..... **39c**  
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sale price..... **40c**  
Men's fancy Knit Gloves, our 50c line, Clearance Sale Price..... **35c**  
Boys' Black Cat Stockings, regular 15c value, sale price..... **10c**  
Men's heavy Wool Socks, sale price..... **21c**  
Men's extra good heavy Leather Mittens, lined, special sale price..... **45c**  
Boys' black, white striped blouses, sale price..... **19c**  
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# MRS. EDDY'S REPLY TO THE JANUARY McCLURE ARTICLE

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 8.—The January issue of McClure's Magazine, which undertakes to publish the history of the early life of the Reverend Mary Baker Eddy, Leader of the Christian Scientists, and her family, has been brought to the attention of Mrs. Eddy. She has taken the pains to correct the matter, and has sent out the following statement over her own signature:

It is calumny on Christian Science to say that man is aroused to thought or action only by ease, pleasure, or recompense. Something higher, nobler, more imperative, impels the impulse of soul.

It becomes my duty to be just to the departed and to tread not ruthlessly on their ashes. The attack on me and my late father and his family in McClure's Magazine, January, 1907, compels me as a dutiful child and the leader of Christian Science to speak.

McClure's Magazine refers to my father's "tall, gaunt frame," and pictures "the old man tramping doggedly along the highway regularly beating the ground with a huge walking stick."

My father's person was erect and robust. He never used a walking-stick. To illustrate: One time when my father was visiting Governor Pierce, President Franklin Pierce's father, the Governor handed him a gold-headed walking-stick as they were about to start for church. My father thanked the Governor, but declined to accept the stick, saying, "I never use a cane."

Although McClure's Magazine attributes my father language unseemly, his household law, constantly enforced, was no profanity and no slang phrases. McClure's Magazine also declares that the Bible was the only book in his house. On the contrary, my father was a great reader.

Three men, whom McClure's Magazine characterizes as "ignorant, dominating, passionate, fearless," was uniformly dignified—a well-informed, intellectual man, cultivated in mind and manners. He was called upon to do much business for his town, making out deeds, settling quarrels, and even acting as counsel in a law-suit involving a question of pauperism between the towns of London and Bow, N. H. Franklin Pierce, afterward President of the United States, was the counsel for London and Mark Baker for Bow. Both entered their pleas, and my father won the suit. After it was decided, Mr. Pierce bowed to my father and congratulated him. For several years, father was chaplain of the New Hampshire State Militia, and as I recollect it, he was Justice of the Peace at one time. My father was a strong believer in States rights, but slavery he regarded as a great sin.

Mark Baker was the youngest of his father's family, and inherited his father's real estate, an extensive farm situated in Bow and Concord, N. H. It is on record that Mark Baker's father paid the largest tax in the colony.

McClure's Magazine says, describing the Baker homestead at Bow: "The house itself was a small, square box structure of rudimentary architecture." My father's house had a sloping roof after the prevailing style of architecture at that date.

McClure's Magazine states: "Alone of the Bakers, he (Albert) received a liberal education." \* \* \* Mary Baker passed her first fifteen years at the ancestral home at Bow. It was a lonely and unstimulating existence. The church supplied the only social diversion, the district school practically all the intellectual life."

Let us see what were the fruits of this "lonely and unstimulating existence." All my father's daughters were given an academic education, sufficiently advanced so that they all taught school acceptably at various times and places.

My brother Albert was a distinguished lawyer. In addition to my academic training, I was privately tutored by him. He was a member of the New Hampshire Legislature, and was nominated for Congress but died before the election.

McClure's Magazine calls my youngest brother, George Sullivan Baker, "a workman in a Tilton woolen mill." As a matter of fact, he was joint partner with Alexander Tilton, and together they owned a large manufacturing establishment in Tilton, N. H. His military title of Colonel came from appointment on the staff of the Governor of New Hampshire.

My oldest brother, Samuel D. Baker, carried on a large business in Boston, Mass.

Regarding the allegation by McClure's Magazine that all the family, "excepting Albert, died of cancer," I will say that there was never a death in my father's family reported by physician or post-mortem examination as caused by cancer.

McClure's Magazine says that "the quarrels between Mary, a child ten years old, and her father, a gray-haired man of fifty, frequently set the house in an uproar," and adds that these "fits" were diagnosed by Dr. Ladd as "hysteria mingled with bad temper."

My mother often presented my disposition as exemplary for her other children to imitate, saying, "When do you ever see Mary angry?" When the first edition of Science and Health was published, Dr. Ladd said to Alexander Tilton: "Read it, for it will do you good. It does not surprise me, it so resembles the author."

I will relate the following incident, which occurred later in life, as illustrative of my disposition:

While I was living with Dr. Patterson at his country home in Rumney, N. H., a girl, totally blind, knocked at the door and was admitted. She begged to be allowed to remain with me, and my tenderness and sympathy were such that I could not refuse her. Shortly after, however, my good housekeeper said to me:

"If this blind girl stays with you, I shall have to leave; she troubles me so much."

It was not in my heart to turn the blind girl out so I lost my housekeeper.

My reply to the statement that the clerk's book shows that I joined the Tilton Congregational Church at the age of seventeen years is that my religious experience seemed to culminate at twelve years of age. Hence a mistake may have occurred as to the exact date of my first church membership.

The facts regarding the McNeil coat-of-arms are as follows:

Fannie McNeil, President Pierce's niece, afterward Mrs. Judge Potter, presented to me my coat-of-arms, saying that it was taken in connection with her own family coat-of-arms. I never doubted the veracity of her gift. I have another coat-of-arms, which is of my mother's ancestry. When I was last in Washington, D. C., Mrs. Judge Potter and myself knelt in silent prayer on the mound of her late father, General John McNeil, the hero of Lundy Lane.

Notwithstanding that McClure's Magazine says, "Mary Baker completed her education when she finished Smith's grammar and reached long division in arithmetic," I was called by the Rev. R. S. Rust, D. D., Principal of the Methodist Conference Seminary at Sanbornton Bridge, to supply the place of his leading teacher during her temporary absence.

Regarding my first marriage and the tragic death of my husband, McClure's Magazine says: "He (George Washington Glover) took his bride to Wilmington, South Carolina, and in June, 1844, six months after his marriage, he died of yellow fever. He left his young bride in a miserable plight. She was far from home and entirely without money or friends. Glover, however, was a free-mason, and thus received a decent burial. The masons also paid Mrs. Glover's fare to New York City, where she was met and taken to her father's home by her brother George. \* \* \* Her position was an embarrassing one. She was a grown woman, with a child, but entirely without means of support. \* \* \* Mrs. Glover made only one effort at self-support. For a brief season she taught school."

My first husband, Major George W. Glover, resided in Charleston, South Carolina. While on a business trip to Wilmington, North Carolina, he was suddenly seized with yellow fever and died in about nine days. I was with him on this trip. He took with him the usual amount of money he would need on such an excursion. At his decease, I was surrounded by friends, and their provisions in my behalf were most tender. The Governor of the State and his staff, with a long procession, followed the remains of my beloved one to the cemetery.

The freemasons selected my escort, who took me to my father's home in Tilton, N. H. My salary for writing gave me ample support. I did open an infant school, but it was for the purpose of starting that educational system in New Hampshire. The rhyme attributed to me by McClure's Magazine is not mine, but is, I understand, a paraphrase of a silly song of years ago. Correctly quoted, it is as follows, so I have been told:

Go to Jane Glover,  
Tell her I love her;  
By the light of the moon  
I will go to her.

The various stories told by McClure's Magazine about my father spreading the road in front of his house with tan-bark and straw, and about persons being hired to rock me, I am ignorant of. Nor do I re-

member any such stuff as Dr. Patterson drying into Franklin, N. H., with a couch or cradle for me in his wagon. I only know that my father and mother did everything they could think of to help me when I was ill.

I was never "given to long and lonely wanderings, especially at night," as stated by McClure's Magazine. I was always accompanied by some responsible individual when I took an evening walk, but I seldom took one. I have always consistently declared that I was not a medium for spirits. I never was especially interested in the Shakers, never "dabbled in mesmerism," never was "an amateur clairvoyant," nor did "the superstitious country folk frequently seek my advice." I never went into a trance to describe scenes far away, as McClure's Magazine says.

My oldest sister dearly loved me, but I wounded her pride when I adopted Christian Science, and to a Baker that was a sorry offence.

McClure's Magazine calls Dr. Daniel Patterson, my second husband, "an itinerant dentist." It says that after my marriage we "lived for a short time at Tilton, then moved to Franklin. \* \* \* During the following nine years the Pattersons led aroving existence. The doctor practiced in several towns, from Tilton to North Groton and Rumney."

When I was married to him, Dr. Daniel Patterson was located in Franklin, N. H. He had the degree D. D. S., was a popular man, and considered a rarely skilful dentist. He bought a place in Rumney, which he fancied, for a summer resort. At that time he owned a house in Franklin, N. H.

Although, as McClure's Magazine claims, the court record may state that my divorce from Dr. Patterson was granted on the ground of desertion, the cause nevertheless was adultery. Individuals are here today who were present in court when the decision was given by the judge and who know the following facts. After the evidence had been submitted that a husband was about to have Dr. Patterson arrested for eloping with his wife, the court instructed the clerk to record the divorce in my favor.

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It is calumny on Christian Science to say that man is aroused to thought or action only by ease, pleasure, or recompense. Something higher, nobler, more imperative, impels the impulse of soul.

It becomes my duty to be just to the departed and to tread not ruthlessly on their ashes. The attack on me and my late father and his family in McClure's Magazine, January, 1907, compels me as a dutiful child and the leader of Christian Science to speak.

McClure's Magazine refers to my father's "tall, gaunt frame," and pictures "the old man tramping doggedly along the highway regularly beating the ground with a huge walking stick."

My father's person was erect and robust. He never used a walking-stick. To illustrate: One time when my father was visiting Governor Pierce, President Franklin Pierce's father, the Governor handed him a gold-headed walking-stick as they were about to start for church. My father thanked the Governor, but declined to accept the stick, saying, "I never use a cane."

Although McClure's Magazine attributes my father language unseemly, his household law, constantly enforced, was no profanity and no slang phrases. McClure's Magazine also declares that the Bible was the only book in his house. On the contrary, my father was a great reader.

Three man, whom McClure's Magazine characterizes as "ignorant, dominating, passionate, fearless," was uniformly dignified—a well-informed, intellectual man, cultivated in mind and manners. He was called upon to do much business for his town, making out deeds, settling quarrels, and even acting as counsel in a law-suit involving a question of pauperism between the towns of London and Bow, N. H. Franklin Pierce, afterward President of the United States, was the counsel for London and Mark Baker for Bow. Both entered their pleas, and my father won the suit. After it was decided, Mr. Pierce bowed to my father and congratulated him. For several years, father was chaplain of the New Hampshire State Militia, and as I recollect it, he was Justice of the Peace at one time. My father was a strong believer in States rights, but slavery he regarded as a great sin.

Mark Baker was the youngest of his father's family, and inherited his father's real estate, an extensive farm situated in Bow and Concord, N. H. It is on record that Mark Baker's father paid the largest tax in the colony.

McClure's Magazine says, describing the Baker homestead at Bow: "The house itself was a small, square box structure of rudimentary architecture." My father's house had a sloping roof after the prevailing style of architecture at that date.

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Let us see what were the fruits of this "lonely and unstimulating existence." All my father's daughters were given an academic education, sufficiently advanced so that they all taught school acceptably at various times and places.

My brother Albert was a distinguished lawyer. In addition to my academic training, I was privately tutored by him. He was a member of the New Hampshire Legislature, and was nominated for Congress but died before the election.

McClure's Magazine calls my youngest brother, George Sullivan Baker, "a workman in a Tilton woolen mill." As a matter of fact, he was joint partner with Alexander Tilton, and together they owned a large manufacturing establishment in Tilton, N. H. His military title of Colonel came from appointment on the staff of the Governor of New Hampshire.

My oldest brother, Samuel D. Baker, carried on a large business in Boston, Mass.

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My mother often presented my disposition as exemplary for her other children to imitate, saying, "When do you ever see Mary angry?" When the first edition of Science and Health was published, Dr. Ladd said to Alexander Tilton: "Read it, for it will do you good. It does not surprise me, it so resembles the author."

I will relate the following incident, which occurred later in life, as illustrative of my disposition:

While I was living with Dr. Patterson at his country home in Rumney, N. H., a girl, totally blind, knocked at the door and was admitted. She begged to be allowed to remain with me, and my tenderness and sympathy were such that I could not refuse her. Shortly after, however, my good housekeeper said to me:

"If this blind girl stays with you, I shall have to leave; she troubles me so much."

It was not in my heart to turn the blind girl out so I lost my house-keeper.

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Go to Jane Glover,  
Tell her I love her;  
By the light of the moon  
I will go to her.

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It is mighty inconsistent for men to blame women for not understanding politics when nobody else does. When a man's daughter is engaged, he can't go into the parlor even to look for an old pipe. Perhaps the reason it is called "the holidays" is that it is a season when we are all worked to death. At any rate, the fellow who marries for love isn't so often reminded of what he married for.



Only a paper which can give the largest publicity to your want is adequately "advertising" that want. Tribune want ads. bring results.

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One cent a word first insertion and one-half cent for all subsequent insertions. : : : : No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.

WANTED—At Eagle hotel, a cook, 120 South Fifth street.

LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in short time, mailed free. Moler College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Two chambermaids at Law Hotel.

WANTED—Girl, Allen hotel.

WANTED—Marking girl at Modern Steam laundry, 116 North Third street.

WANTED—At once for general housework, an industrious, honest girl or woman, good pay. Mrs. Goldish, 618 North Ninth street.

LADIES—Make \$1 every day at home; stamped envelope, particulars. Ladies' Aid, Durham, Ct.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Steam Laundry company, 117 South Front street.

WANTED—Girl, general housework, 1242 Park avenue (Tyler street.)

SUSIE McDONALD, ladies' fine tailoring and dressmaking. 1403 Winnebago, old phone 2803.

MINISTER, a lover of horses, wants a good young driving horse. Must be fine traveler, stylish, perfectly safe, not afraid of trains or cars, day or night. Age from 5 to 8, thoroughly sound, one with some spirit. Advertiser is an experienced driver. Want to buy the horse from a reliable party "on time," and anyone having such a horse to sell to a Christian minister who would treat animal well, on that financial plan, is invited to write at once to "Preacher," in care of the editor of the La Crosse Tribune, La Crosse, Wis.

**MISS MILLIE OFTERDINGER**  
MANICURE  
Scalp Treatment, Electrical Facial Treatment, Blemishes Removed  
New Phone 568A 129 S. Fourth St.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Press feeders at Knothe, 409 South Third street.

WANTED—500 men to eat Chile Con Carne every night, 10 cents per bowl. Sun restaurant, 111 North Third street.

Men—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

IMMEDIATELY YOUNG MEN—Bright from Wisconsin to prepare for entrance Exams, for Railway Mail Clerks. Good Prospects. Particulars FREE. 322 Inter-State Bldg., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

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SEVERAL EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHERS—Men preferred, to prepare for coming Exams. for positions in Gov't Service. Average beginning salary \$1000. Fine Future. Box 570, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

WANTED—100 men to eat oyster stew, 15 cents a bowl at the Merchants' restaurant, 225 Main street. Twenty-one b'g meals \$3. Open day and night.

WANTED—Copy of Tribune of July 2, 1906. Will pay 10 cents. Call Tribune.

WANTED—Second hand fireproof safe. C. N. Hawley, 115 Pearl street.

WANTED—Ten good, experienced duck and sheep skin coat makers, at once. Martin Bros. company.

Special Announcement Regarding the National Pure Food and Drug Law  
We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. O. T. Erhart.

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Wholesale **WINES & LIQUORS**  
222-224 PEARL STREET.

WANTED—Small upright boiler, two to four horsepower, at 112 North Fifth street.

WANTED—Competent, experienced shoe salesman at Arenz' shoe store.

WANTED—To trade small second hand safe for larger safe. Address, 15, Tribune.

WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms suitable for gentlemen. Address R. care Tribune.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Hotel Bronson furniture, reasonable, investigate at once. Proprietor retiring from business, sickness.

FOR SALE—Cheap, seal dyed otter coat and muff, good as new. Worth \$300. Inquire 1003 Cameron avenue.

FOR SALE—A good delivery horse. 430 La Crosse street. Call at once.

FOR SALE—Cheap, new cook stove with reservoir, household goods, and bicycle. 526 Mississippi street, upstairs.

FOR SALE—Top buggy, wagon. Portland cutter, delivery sleigh, 329 North Ninth.

For SALE—Homer Pigeons, mated birds for sale, two band and guaranteed all birds to be mated and straight Homers. William Evans, Onalaska, Wis.

**Morris & Hartwell**  
LAWYERS

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FOR RENT—Typewriters, at S. J. de Ranitz & Co., 509 Main street.

FOR RENT—Furnished parlor and two bedrooms for two or four young men. 121 South Third.

FOR RENT—Four room house at 1016 Badger street.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room, first floor, strictly modern. 214 South Seventh street.

FOR RENT—House at 1515 Johnson street. Inquire on premises.

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms at 516 Division.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, \$4 per month, corner Eighth and Division. Inquire 508 North Eighth.

FOR RENT—Modern five-room flat. Inquire 111 North Fourteenth.

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished or unfurnished rooms at 315 North Tenth street.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, city heat, clean and cosy, gentlemen preferred. New phone 396A, 511 Main street, third floor.

LOST

LOST—Small size side comb, gold band. Return to 403 South Ninth.

LOST—Class pin, design four leaf clover with 6 D. S. '05 inscribed on pin. Finder please leave at Tribune office.

LOST—At or on the way to the new high school, gold bead necklace. Return to Tribune.

LOST—Old fashioned gold brooch with ruby settings. Leave at Tribune for reward.

FOUND

FOUND—On Main street, a sum of money. Owner may have same by calling at Tribune office, proving property and paying for this ad.

FINANCIAL

**LOANS** made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. **LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 322 Main Street, up stairs.**

The funeral of John Krismer, 1000 Redfield street, prominently identified with local saloon interests, was held this morning at 9 o'clock from the Holy Trinity church, Thirteenth and Tyler street. The Rev. H. J. Untawut officiated. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery. Mr. Krismer died Saturday night.

To keep a secret it is generally necessary to put it on ice.

THE MARKETS

LOCAL WHOLESALE MARKETS

**Butter and Eggs**  
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery—Pound 33c.  
Renovated butter—25 to 27c.  
Roll butter—26c.  
No. 1 dairy butter—26 to 28c.  
Eggs—Dozen, 25c.

**Cheese**  
(Quoted by Henry Anderegg.)  
Cream cheese, 14 and 14½c.  
Brick cheese, 13½ and 14c.  
Limburger, 12 and 13c.  
Longhorns, 15c.  
(Young Americans, 15c.  
Dairies, 14½c.  
German hand—Per box, 90c.

**Flour**  
(Prices by A. Grams & Sons.)  
Patent—Per barrel, \$4.40.  
Straight—Barrel, \$4.20.  
**Mill Feed.**  
Shorts—Per ton, \$19.  
White middlings—Ton, \$21.  
Red dog—Per ton, \$23.  
Bran—Per ton, \$18.

**Grain**  
(Quoted by W. W. Gargill Co.)  
Winter wheat—60 to 63c.  
Spring wheat—63 to 65c.  
Barley, 35 to 45c.  
Corn—25 to 40c.  
Rye—55 to 58c.  
Oats—30 to 32c.

**Livestock**  
(Quoted by Langdon & Boyd.)  
Hogs—\$5.25 to \$5.75.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2.25 to \$3.  
Sheep, \$3 to \$4.  
Lambs—\$4 to \$5.50.

**Provisions**  
Lard—11½c to 11¾c.  
Hams—13c to 13½c.  
Bacon—13½c to 14c.  
Shoulders, 10c.  
Picnic hams—9½c.  
Dry beef—14½c to 16½c.  
Wild hay—\$8.  
Tame hay—\$10.50.

LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)  
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 30c.  
Butter—Dairy, 30c; creamery, 35c.  
**Wood**  
Dry hard wood—\$5.25 to \$5.50.  
Bottom wood—\$4.50.

**Fruits**  
Eating apples—Peck, 25 to 40c.  
Looking apples—Peck, 25c.  
Oranges—Dozen, 35 to 50c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 25c and 30c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 15 to 20c.

**Vegetables**  
Head lettuce—Bunch, 10 to 15c.  
Celery—Stalk, 5c.  
Cauliflower—20c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
New Cabbage—Each, 5c.  
Potatoes—Bushel, 50c.  
Carrots—Peck, 15c.  
Beets—Peck, 15c.  
Rutabagoes—Peck, 10 to 15c.  
Sweet potatoes—Six pounds, 25c.  
Hubbard squash, 5 to 10c.  
Pears—Dozen, 20 to 25c.  
Pickling onions—Peck, 25c.  
Pumpkins—Each, 5c.  
California grapes—Basket, 25c.  
Cawtaba grapes—Basket, 25c.  
Malaga grapes—Per pound, 20c.

**Fish**  
(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)  
Pickerel, 8c; pike, 12½c; white, 15c; trout, 12½c; salmon, 15c; hering, 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.  
**Poultry**  
Old chickens, 10c; young chickens, 2½c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 15c; geese, 2½c.

**When You're Tired**

You need something to refresh you. Our **NEBUER GINGER ALE** will do its work most effectively. We recommend that you insist on getting the **NEBUER GINGER ALE**. For Sale Everywhere.

**North Side Bottling Works**  
901-903 Rose Street.

**An Insidious Danger**  
One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. O. T. Erhart.

RESURRECTION OF LA CRESCENT

A PROPHET'S VISION

(By Rev. Lyn G. J. Kelly.)

Magnificently encircled by lofty woodland bluffs, at all times artistically picturesque, and keeping close companionship with "the father of waters," the venerable, silent Mississippi, as it flows on its even way alongside of the main railroad track of the Chicago, Milwaukee line between Chicago and La Crosse, is the old town of La Crescent, a town much older, it is said, than its near and thriving neighbor, La Crosse.

For some time past this beautiful locality, with its cheerful, sober folk, has been occupying a very obscure place amongst the towns of Minnesota, and an eternal quietness seemed to be the destiny appointed for it. Till but recently nothing has really happened to challenge in any way that threatened destiny, for no great commotion, commercial, municipal, political, moral or religious, ever breaks into the accustomed quiet and restfulness of its daily life, except when something very unusual and altogether unexpected happens, which creates temporary enthusiasm and some small excitement, as for instance, a fire, such as recently destroyed the old school building, on which occasion absolutely the whole town turned out of doors not only to witness, but nearly all men and women alike, to become impromptu "firemen," and self appointed members of a "bucket brigade," which, however, was powerless in subduing this "bad master," for all too well and quickly did the fire do its destructive work, and then La Crescent fell back into its peacefulness again until something else of a like rousing nature should happen within its precincts.

But now at last there are being manifested to all who can read the signs of the times and who keep an open eye, evidences that this little town is awaking from its long semi-comatose state. The long winter is over, the spring of resurrection is here at our doors, and the happy inhabitants of La Crescent hail it with increasing delight. Slowly but surely a better day for this deserving borough has arrived, and an even better one is yet to dawn in the near future. The town is acquiring new life and powers, and the voices are to be heard in its streets, foretelling almost the day and the hour when La Crescent will "do business in great waters," and will open wide its doors to large and prospering manufacturing interests, for which it is amply qualified by its close proximity to La Crosse and by its own peculiar resources. These town prophets are sanely minded, far-seeing men, shrewd in commercial understanding and affairs, some of La Crescent's best men, in fact, and they have a goodly following who believe them, even in their fondest dreams.

One of the sure signs of resurrection and of onward progress is the large, splendidly designed school-house, which raises its lofty pinnacle to the sky. This building stands to the eternal credit of the progressive, wide-awake element of La Crescent, which against opposition, determined, prolonged and even bitter, recognizes the essential need of good education, education, up to date, and fitting for the several duties of life, the "young and rising race," and this seat of education, under the competent guidance and lead of Professor Castor, will, in the opinion of the progressive party, be a "drawing card" for the aristocracy of the country, who will soon come to reside within the borders of the town, so as to give the benefits the school offers to their children, and thus will the population increase, and the aristocracy of the "broad acres" will play their part in the future welfare of La Crescent as good citizens. Yes, the new school-house is one of the surest signs and manifest tokens of the resurrection of this town from deadness and obscurity to a well earned glory, for the glory of a town is in the benefits it offers to its people.

But this is not the only sign of promise or of life anew. There are three nice churches in La Crescent, to mould public opinion and guide it in right channels, and to help keep life pure and sweet and strong. The Presbyterian church with a rather choice though not large congregation, under the efficient care of one of God's finest and truest gentlemen, who has also two other outlying folds to nurture and sustain and guide; the Methodist church, a popular church, in which for some time past, some of the chief officials have been ladies (and good ladies, too), and in which

church some of the most earnest supporters and adherents, have passed far beyond "the three score years and ten." One of the oldest members is a man over 86 years of age, but a miracle of health, for his step is elastic yet and his constitution is vigorous, and he braves the winter weather with the triumph and pleasure of healthful youth. A lady member of 82 and looks twenty years younger. The pastor, an Englishman, not long ago from London, believes in a practical and social gospel and tries to apply it to La Crescent. The Christian Social Institute, one of the most successful and popular ventures in La Crescent, and an entirely new departure, is putting that belief into practice, for the pastor saw the need of the men and boys for a place where in evenings they could meet together for healthy and legitimate recreation, in many and various ways, and the Christian Social Institute with its reading room, games room, debates, entertainments, etc., and its awakening influence on the town, has come to stay, and is another sign of resurrection glory and life.

A few weeks back, the remaining church, the Roman Catholic, under the lead of the enterprising and good natured Father Dolle, engaged a Chicago missionary apostolic of that faith to conduct a special mission for a week in La Crescent, in defence of the Roman Catholic church. Father Laycock was a gifted orator, a skillful, convincing expositor of the Roman Catholic faith and practice, and a man of very wide experience and a sweet disposition, and when one saw nightly the congregations of Catholics and Protestant alike that crowded into that large church, it was another sign that La Crescent was suddenly alive again, and one had a faint kind of suspicion that under the winsome spell of the missionary and his kindly sympathetic presentation of his creed that some very attentive members of the Protestant fold might get converted to the "Mother Church," but so far the suspicion is without justification. After Father Laycock departed with Catholic services, a revivalist came to take services in the Methodist church, and for about three weeks the church and also the town, was in the grip of as severe and relentless an evangelistic tornado as ever passed that way, and many of the people kept in their homes, rather than face the blast. Day and night it raged—rebuke and warning, vehement, pointed and strong, followed one another in quick succession. The sermons and methods of the Catholic father seemed to "take" with the people of old La Crescent, so well established in its religious belief, more favorably than those of the evangelist, and this meeting closed with but a small congregation, and but a comparatively few converts. When the genial, sunny presiding elder of the district came at the close of the campaign, it was like the advent of the sunshine after storm, and one was forcibly reminded of the Scriptural contrast of Moses, stern and human, with the eternal and Divine Law, on the one hand, and "the seer of Patmos," with his visions and his face aglow with Heaven's light, on the other.

Lastly, and commercially, another sign of resurrection, life and glory is the prosperous and prospering firm, the Smith Grubber company. This is the most progressive and wide awake enterprise around town. Since early fall, buildings to the extent of some \$15,000 have been put up, to keep pace with the growing business, that of making grubbing machines, for ground clearing. These machines are shipped constantly to all parts of the civilized world, the correspondence is large, a good office staff is employed, including a stenographer and the office is fitted with all modern time-saving appliances, even the automatic postage stamp moistening and sticking device, by which a huge mail is promptly stamped. The inventor of the machine, Mr. William Smith, has reaped a fortune, and lives in a fine residence in the town in comparative retirement, while his two enterprising sons control the prosperous business. A good number of workmen are employed, and the number is constantly increasing. The time is not very far distant when the Smith Grubber company, (and with them, others, who will follow their lead) will lift La Crescent out of its long obscurity and quietness, for in the coming future, this firm intends to build an hotel, a store, a reading room, and every other necessary convenience for the benefit

Report of the Financial Condition of THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK located at La Crosse, state of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 12th day of November, 1906:

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts.....	\$2,558,037.73
Overdrafts .....	238.09
U. S. bonds.....	400,000.00
Other bonds .....	92,721.46
Bank house and fixtures .....	75,000.00
5 per ct. redemption fund .....	20,000.00
Cash and due from banks .....	597,887.22
	\$3,743,884.50
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock .....	400,000.00
Surplus .....	100,000.00
Undivided profits .....	40,243.82
National bank notes outstanding .....	395,000.00
Deposits .....	2,868,640.68
	\$3,743,884.50

Report of the condition of THE STATE BANK La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 12, 1906.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts.....	\$ 671,625.17
Overdrafts .....	635.54
Bonds .....	44,218.25
Premium on bonds.....	123.52
Stocks and other securities .....	28,496.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	10,000.00
Due from banks.....	231,167.42
Checks on other banks and cash items.....	1,644.80
Exchanges for clearing house .....	9,077.29
Cash on hand.....	61,430.84
Total .....	\$1,058,418.83
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	50,000.00
Surplus fund.....	50,000.00
Undivided profits.....	13,771.04
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Prices of Funeral Outfits:  
Hearses and Carriages \$1.50 ea.  
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North Side and Sundays excepted.  
First class Turnouts. Up-to-date  
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**CLARK & CLARK, Livery Stable**

**Gateway City Transfer Line**  
Passengers, Baggage and Freight Transferred To and From All Depots.  
Baggage, all kinds heavy draying, pianos, safes and household goods, Finest bus in the city for picnics, etc.  
215-217 Vine Street. Both Phones 179

**Dr. J. F. Thompson**  
DENTIST  
Room 1, Barron Building  
New Phone 192-3 Old Phone 73-3  
La Crosse Wisconsin

**Exchange State Bank**  
NORTH LA CROSSE.  
Capital..... \$25,000.00  
Surplus..... 3,000.00  
A general banking business transacted.  
Officers: J. E. Wheeler, pres.; Orlando Holway, vice-pres.; Jos. P. Gohres, cashier; Robt. B. Lowry, asst. cashier. Directors—J. E. Wheeler, Orlando Holway, W. B. Techarner, Wm. F. Gohres, S. J. Waite

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A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor.  
A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Flatulency, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Singing Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.  
**GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOW PEOPLE**

of their employees. The population will, say the prophets, be double what it is now, and the future La Crescent will worthily take its place as a busy center of prominent manufacturing interests, and as a popular suburb of La Crosse. The "model village" of the Smith Grubber company will, it is believed, be run on the lines of the successful venture of the great English chocolate manufacturer, Richard Cadbury, viz. Bournville, where every one of his thousand or more employees live together in peace and good fellowship, sharing the profits of the huge business, having a fair and living wage, a reasonable working day, clean, good homes, and where no saloons open their doors to do harm. There will be heard the whir and burr of busy factory machinery, smoke will rise from many factory chimneys, houses will go up and about, department stores with enterprising proprietors will do a thriving business for town and country, and La Crescent will be one of the

Railroad Time Tables

**CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL**

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Chicago,	2:45 a m	Milwaukee,	3:10 a m
Milwaukee,	12:35 p m	and the East	7:05 a m
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	12:40 a m		8:55 p m
	8:55 p m		4:55 p m
Winona,	3:20 a m	St. Paul & Minneapolis	12:30 a m
St. Paul & Minneapolis	7:15 a m		12:35 a m
	10:55 a m		8:25 p m
	5:15 p m		11:00 p m
			12:25 p m

**CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY**

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	12:05 p m	a 3:50 p m	a 11:20 a m
			a 4:55 p m
Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:30 a m	c 7:50 p m	a 11:20 p m
			a 3:45 p m

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday c, daily except Saturday.

**CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY**

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, Intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night	2:25 a. m.	3:30 a. m.
		11:50 a. m.	8:09 a. m.
			6:00 p. m.
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnetka and Northwest	8:30 a. m.	12:15 night	12:25 a. m.
		8:09 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
		6:00 p. m.	

**CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.**

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 8:00 a m	b 5:30 a m	a 12:35 p m
	a 12:35 p m	b 10:40 p m	a 5:30 p m
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	b 5:30 a m	a 8:00 a m	a 12:35 p m
	a 5:30 p m	b 10:40 p m	

References: a, daily except Sunday b, daily

**GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.**

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Arcadia, Blair Independence, Whitehall, Merrillan, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London, Kewaunee and West	A8:15 a.m.	A4:40 pm

A Daily except Sunday

KEWAUNEE SHORT LINE



# JANUARY CLEARANCE

We have selected out of our stock a lot of odd Suits, about one hundred in all, worth from twelve-fifty to twenty dollars, not all sizes in any lot, but there are all sizes in the lot. We are going to put them on sale at

# \$9.75

We do not say these are the latest cut, because they are not, but they will make splendid suits for little money for any one that does work where stylish clothes are not required.

We have also selected about fifty Young Men's Suits in single and double breasted styles, sizes 15 to 19, on which we will make a discount of 33 1/3%.

THIS MEANS

## ONE THIRD OFF

### THEY ARE GOOD SUITS & GOOD PATTERNS

We have several other good things too for those that come in.

# WESTBY BROS

## 115-117 South Fourth Street.

## AT THE THEATERS

"The Heir to the Hoorah" is making a rather complete tour of the south and west this season, taking in Salt Lake City, Denver and San Francisco, then Portland, Seattle and other cities in the Puget Sound country of the northwest. The La Shelle production of Paul Armstrong's sprightly comedy met with great favor in this section last season, and its return engagement is in response to popular demand, as voiced through the various managers of theaters where the piece was played last year. It is to be an early offering at the La Crosse theater.

Genuine and wholesome comedy as we have not had since the days of the Augustin Daly companies will be the vogue at the La Crosse theater Saturday afternoon and evening, Jan. 12, when that capital actor, Mr. Max Figman will present the most conspicuous comedy success of the past season in New York city, "The Man on the Box," dramatized by Grace Livingston Furniss from Harold McGrath's immensely successful book of the same name. Mr. Figman's name is familiar to all theater goers who have followed the events of the Metropolitan stage for the past ten years. He is an actor of rare attainment and quality with an individual method that is appealing and a marked personal magnetism. His experience has covered almost every form of dramatic art and his success has been as pronounced as his versatility. He is also a close student of the drama and has been stage manager for a number of New York productions. Max Figman has been qualified to star for years

but has held back until the most auspicious occasion was presented. He is now a fixed satellite in the dramatic firmament, being under contract with Mr. John Cort for a term of years, with provision that he shall be supplied with a new play every year by a successful author and placed for an annual engagement on Broadway. Mr. Figman brings with him an elaborate production and a cast of clever players including the delightful actress Miss Helen Holmes, Miss Clara Louise Chapman, Miss Beatrice McClure, Miss Ceta Woodland Bennett and Messrs. Morgan Wallace, Wilson Forbes, John C. Brownell, Frank H. Ringer, George Centre, Ernst P. Orr, Reginald Fife, Marshall Franklin, Edward Johnson and John Pearson.

"The Man on the Box" was a happy selection for Mr. Figman's tour inasmuch as the title role fits him as though it were written expressly for him. He is the every personification of the dashing army officer who falls in love with a pretty girl on a steamer, later by mistake abducts her and afterward she seeks to turn the joke upon him and find out his identity accepts her offer to be her groom, in order that he may be near her always. This material furnishes abundant opportunity of comedy of the finest calibre and at the same time contains all the elements of a play of deep heart interest. The dialogue is crisp and witty and the dramatic situations in many instances profoundly impressive and interesting. A noteworthy feature in connection with this engagement is that it is one of the few opportunities where a syndicate town can see what was originally an anti-syndicate success.

#### Treat at Unique

The theatergoing public of La Crosse has this week one of the greatest treats that it has ever had in the moving pictures at the Unique

theater on Third street.

The management has spared no expense in procuring the finest lot of pictures that the makers could supply, and when one has seen them they will know it to be true. The performance opens with "A Clown's Revenge." This film is highly amusing and sends the audience into a convulsion of laughter. The next, "Dolly Varden, a Romance," taken from the opera of that name, is also very good, which goes to show that the course of true love never runs smooth and that love laughs at locksmiths. It shows the elopement, the father's pursuit, his holdup by highwaymen, his deliverance by his prospective son-in-law and all of which has a happy ending. "The Last Witch" and "A Poor Artist's Dream" are marvels of beauty, rich coloring and splendor.

These pictures have got to be seen to be fully appreciated. The management has been very fortunate in obtaining the services of Eric Carrington to sing the illustrated songs. He has a rich, sweet voice and his rendering of the songs is worth the admission asked. His enunciation is clear and every word of his songs is clearly heard and understood in every part of the auditorium. Mr. Carrington is an old favorite with theatergoers. His last appearance in this city was with the Morey Stock company.

#### A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures La grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. O. T. Erhart.

#### Disturbed the Congregation

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. O. T. Erhart.

#### NOVEL CURE FOR COLDS.

Healing Medication that is Breathed, Giving Quick Relief.

It seems just as ridiculous to put medicine into the stomach to cure a cold in the head or lungs as it does to go out in the rain if we want to keep dry.

The fact that many people right in La Crosse cough and hawk and snuffle for days and weeks after they treat a cold with the usual stomach dosing, shows how valueless are the ordinary cough and cold cures.

The right way to cure a cold in the head or a cough and irritation in the throat and lungs, is by breathing Hyomei's medicated air. Put a few drops of Hyomei in the neat pocket inhaler that comes with every outfit and breathe this healing air for a few times and immediate relief will be noted. The medication goes right to the spot where the disease germs are located and renders them harmless in the future.

At the same time the soothing and healing effects of Hyomei on the irritated mucous membrane give quick relief, and the cough or cold is broken up.

The best evidence of the great value of Hyomei in curing coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles is the fact that O. T. Erhart gives an absolute guarantee with every outfit he sells, that if it does not give satisfaction, the money will be refunded.

A complete Hyomei outfit, consisting of a bottle of Hyomei, the inhaler and a medicine dropper, costs but \$1, while extra bottles of Hyomei, if needed, can be obtained for only 50c.

## Cured of Piles by Pyramid Pile Cure

If You Suffer, You Can Be Cured. Costs Nothing to Try.

If you think that you must be operated upon to be cured of piles, you are wrong. Thousands of cases of piles of excruciating severity—worse no doubt than yours, have been cured painlessly, quickly and permanently, while the patient has been at his work without the loss of time necessitated by an operation. In fact, many a sufferer has not been able to reach his work or even move across the room until after using the home remedy prepared by the Pyramid Drug Co.



No More Piles! One Box Cured—Only 50 Cts! No More Piles! One Box Cured—Only 50 Cts!

Such was the condition of an Indiana business man, as shown in a recent letter:

"Received your sample of Pile Cure and have given it a fair trial and it has proven the best I ever tried. I can recommend you highly in this vicinity. Have used your sample and one box and it has effected a complete cure. It has been worth \$100 to me. Thanking you for the sample and the cure, I will recommend you to everybody. Yours respectfully, Julius Mayer, Dealer in Feathers, Ginseng and Hides, Bedford, Ind."

The Pyramid Pile Cure can be used at home in the privacy of your own room. There is enough strength in each little suppository to drive out infection, while at the same time it melts away into the deadened tissues of the rectum, heals up the fissures, relieves the inflammation, starts the circulation of the hemorrhoidal veins, diminishes the congestion and brings the organs back to their normal condition.

We want to prove to every sufferer from piles that the Pyramid Pile Cure will cure. This treatment is prepared exclusively by the Pyramid Drug Co., which is sufficient evidence of its genuineness. However, we do not ask you to depend upon the reliability of our name or the bona fide testimonials of the hundreds of cured piles sufferers. Send us your name and address for a free trial package. Use it according to directions. The relief you will get will justify your going at once to the druggists for a 50 cent box. All druggists sell the Pyramid Pile Cure, just like the sample. Accept no substitute. Pyramid Drug Co., 76 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

# LINEN SALE

Dependable Linens At Special Low Prices All This Month.

72 inch bleached table Damask worth \$1.25, at yard.....	98c
(Napkins to match)	
72 inch all linen bleached table damask, \$1.00 value, at per yard.....	69c
(Napkins to match)	
72 inch all linen heavy round thread table Damask, cream color, at.....	89c
64 inch Hotel Linen, extra heavy, a good 69c value at.....	50c
19 inch twilled crash, unbleached, a good 8c value, at.....	5c
18 inch bleached or brown Crash, at yard only.....	9c

## GLASS TOWELING

Checked Glass Toweling all linen, at per yard..... 6 3/4c

Special Prices on Plain Linen at This Sale.

All Cars Start and Stop at This Store

# Poehling's

WHERE PRICES AND QUALITY ARE RIGHT

## BAILEY PROBABLY SAFE

(Special Tribune Service.) AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 8.—The state legislature which is to name a successor to Joseph W. Bailey in the United States senate assembled today. The indications are that Bailey will be re-elected, though, even in the opinion of his friends, he has most narrowly escaped political annihilation as a result of the exposure of his dealings with the Standard Oil interests. It is the consensus of opinion that if the exposure had come before the state primary was held it would have meant Bailey's defeat. But as it is there has been a noticeable weakening in the antagonism of many opponents who at first seemed dead set against him. This in no small way is due to the determination of party leaders to prevent a serious break in the rank and file. Moreover, the opposition has been unable to agree upon a possible successor of Mr. Bailey, in case of his defeat. All of these conditions have combined to favor Bailey's chances of re-election.

Aside from the choice of a senator the present session of the legislature will have enough business to keep its hands full until time for adjournment.

Revenue and taxation are the two most important matters to come up for consideration. A readjustment in taxation is deemed absolutely necessary in order to overcome the deficiency in the state treasury. Measures dealing with the liquor traffic will occupy considerable prominence and it is possible another attempt may be made to greatly increase the saloon license. Election laws also will receive attention at the session.

#### How to Avoid Appendicitis

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. O. T. Erhart.

From present indications there will be a large fleet of new launches purchased by La Crosse people this spring.

T. Benjamin Anderberg, secretary and treasurer of the Williams Brothers Lumber company, Ordway, S. D., is the guest of his brother A. Anderberg, 1530 Avon street, and other relatives.

Tribune wants bring results.

HIGH CLASS VAUDEVILLE.....

# BIJOU FAMILY THEATRE

NOT A MOVING PICTURE..... SHOW.....

## EDDIE LESLIE

The Great Coaster Comedian and Mimic.

## THE CHICAGO NEWSBOYS' QUARTETTE SINGING KIDS

M'LE. CARRIE  
Belle of Bells  
High Class Selections on Silver Bells

FRED JARVIS AND LILLY TUDOR  
In Musical Comedy Nonsense.

## LAWRENCE WALL

"DREAMING LOVE, OF YOU" Illustrated with Beautiful Colored Slides.

MOVING PICTURES THAT ARE MOVING PICTURES  
SEEING MINNEAPOLIS and FRIENDSHIP IS BETTER THAN RICHES.

Ladies Popular Matinee Every Day at 2:30 P. M. Admission 10c.  
2 Performances Every Evening At 7:45 and 9:00 O'Clock Sharp. Admission 10c.  
Reserved Opera Chairs 15 Cents.



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PRICE TWO CENTS

## SYNDICATE BUYS THE "CAMERON"

### Famous Hostelry is Desposed Of

#### DEAL CLOSED LAST NIGHT

#### Landlord Smith Gets Sum of \$3,500 For Former Leading Hotel

The Cameron house, Second and Vine streets, one of the oldest hotels in La Crosse, was sold yesterday afternoon by Fred B. Smith, proprietor, to Allanson & Murphy, holders of the lunch room privilege along the lines of the entire Milwaukee system. The consideration was given out as \$3,500. The new owners took possession last night.

For several months past the Allanson & Murphy News company, the titular name of the new purchasers, have made efforts to purchase the once popular hotel. Mr. Smith, also proprietor of the Hotel Stoddard, refused to sell but the pressure of other business prompted him to close out. The Cameron house was established March 1, 1880 by Fox & Smith. D. P. Smith is the father of Fred B. Smith. Fifteen years ago Mr. Fox closed out his interest and F. B. Smith undertook the management, buying his father's interest. Since then he has operated the hotel.

Mr. Smith owned the furnishings in the hotel proper and the building and land occupied by the lunch room, north of Vine street. These are included in the bill of sale. The Cameron house had been run by the Smiths, father and son, for twenty-seven years.

Allanson & Murphy will make a few changes about the hotel, but probably will conduct it as heretofore. A few improvements are promised.

The personnel of the office force may be changed, but nothing has been done today. The changes probably will not be made until the new owners become acquainted better with their property.

#### CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET

(Quoted by Wis. Grain & Stock Co.)  
Hogs—Receipts, 28,000; left over, 1,500; market steady. Light, \$6.20 to \$6.42; heavy, \$6.10 to \$6.30; mixed and butchers, \$6.25 to \$6.50; rough, \$6.15 to \$6.25. Estimated receipts for tomorrow, 36,000.  
Cattle—Receipts, 6,000; steady.  
Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; steady.  
Minneapolis Cash Grain  
Close: Wheat—No. 1 hard, 78½¢; No. 1 northern, 77½¢; No. 2 northern, 75½¢ to 75¾¢; No. 3 northern, 72¢ to 73¢.  
Corn—No. 3 yellow, 36¼¢; No. 3, 35½¢.  
Oats—No. 3 white, 32¾¢; No. 3, 30¼¢ to 31¼¢.  
Barley—4½¢ to 49¢.  
Rye—56¼¢ to 58¼¢.

#### WEATHER FORECAST

• Fair and colder tonight and Wednesday.  
• Coldest, 20; warmest, 40; wind, 12 miles.

## OTTENS IS TAKEN TO WATERTOWN

### Man Sought Here For Passing Bad Money Was Shot There

Ernest Ottens, awaiting trial in circuit court here on a charge of passing counterfeit money, has been taken from the Emergency hospital at Milwaukee, Wis., to Watertown, Wis., to answer to a charge of burglary. Ottens has been identified as the man who attempted to rob a store at Watertown and was shot.

Ottens applied at the Rescue Mission home in Milwaukee Saturday for medical aid to have two bullets extracted from an arm and thigh. At that time it was thought he was wanted in Chicago for burglarizing express cars. An attempt to identify him failed.

Yesterday Gerhard Butzler, night policeman at Watertown, went to Milwaukee and identified Ottens as the man shot by him while entering the clothing store of Hertell & Hoffman early Saturday morning. Two shots were fired at Ottens, while fleeing, and they took effect. The policeman believes that Ottens took one of the early morning trains from the Watertown yards to Milwaukee.

Ottens now denies that he is the man. He claims he received the wounds from a companion in Chicago while playing poker. He says he was caught cheating and then shot. Sunday Ottens said he received the bullet wounds while being held up in the Milwaukee yards.

The shoes and cap left in the Hertell & Hoffman store fit Ottens perfectly. Other witnesses have been secured to identify the prisoner.

The La Crosse police will allow the Watertown officials to prosecute the case against Ottens. He will not be brought back here for trial if a conviction is secured at Watertown. In event he is found not guilty, he will be returned to La Crosse. The case in circuit court probably will be called tomorrow and continued.

## ROAD WON'T PAY FOR HER BEAUTY

Miss Lettie Mae Rowley's beauty is not worth \$3,000, nor is happiness in gliding over the dance floor worth it.

Claiming that the damages awarded the Mount Tabor, Wis., belle by a jury in circuit court at Mauston, Wis., were excessive, C. A. Veeder, attorney for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road argued for a new trial before Judge Fruit this morning. J. T. Dittmar, attorney for the young woman, appeared for her.

Miss Rowley was awarded \$3,000 damages for an injury to her knee by a truck of the defendant. She claims she is unable to dance and that the injury is permanent.

Judge Fruit reserved decision on the arguments.

## DOC COMING TO ANSWER CHARGE

Dr. John Hierdahl, alias Dr. John Under, will be returned from Madison, Wis., tonight to answer to a charge of grand larceny tomorrow. Hierdahl was arrested by the Madison police on complaint of the local department.

It is alleged that Hierdahl stole a coat valued at \$75 along with other articles from one of the local underworld women.

#### SELLS HOLLAND FARM

John L. Becker has sold to Peter Bissen farm lands in the town of Holland for a consideration of \$3,000. The deed was filed today.

## MORE JUNK FOR THE OLD JUNK HEAP

### Agents of Old Light Trust Go East in Search of "New" Machinery

The La Crosse Gas & Electric company, announces that it is going to make vast additions and improvements in its present plant.

Philo M. Gelatt, who became connected with the Gas & Electric company at the time the Central Electric company changed hands, is announced have gone east to inspect and oversee the loading and transportation of the machinery. It is announced that Mr. Gelatt will see all of the machinery on the cars before returning, which means that he will be certain that it was loaded on the cars before he comes back. As to the style and quality of the machinery which Mr. Gelatt will see loaded, little is given out.

It is presumed, however, that Superintendent Gelatt will secure machinery which will compare favorably with the machinery now in use in the plant of the company, of similar design, etc., to secure a uniform appearance and service throughout the plant. While much of the machinery in use in the present plant is second hand, and worn, it produces electricity even more shocking than a much more modern plant, though not so much of it, or in quite as dependable quantities.

As said before, the machinery which Superintendent Gelatt will see loaded on the cars and headed for La Crosse, will compare well with the equipment of the present plant, a large portion of which, it is understood, Mr. Gelatt also saw bought and placed upon the cars.

It is announced also that the company will build an addition as large as the present plant in which to install the machinery.

## STAMP SALES ARE \$6,279.13 MORE

An increase of \$6,279.13 in the stamp sales at the La Crosse postoffice for the year 1906 compared with 1905 is found.

Postmaster W. B. Tschanner has compiled the figures for the sales during the two years, showing the large growth in the local office.

The principal increases during 1906 were made in January and September although slight increases occurred during other months. The February and March sales of 1905 are greatly in advance of those for 1906.

Following is the table, comparing the sales:

	1905.	1906.
January .....	\$ 8,840.19	\$ 10,154.64
February .....	10,309.82	9,513.51
March .....	17,096.04	13,687.96
April .....	7,254.26	7,826.85
May .....	6,748.10	6,680.11
June .....	6,515.20	6,349.20
July .....	5,785.09	7,692.19
August .....	7,020.63	9,587.77
September .....	6,861.37	11,164.56
October .....	7,736.63	7,736.59
November .....	6,988.30	7,011.73
December .....	8,498.33	8,167.78
Total .....	\$99,593.76	\$105,872.89
Increase, \$6,279.13.		

## THUNDER SUNDAY NIGHT

Two distinct claps of thunder, accompanied by lightning were heard in La Crosse Sunday night, toward midnight. Raining at the time, it formed one of the most peculiar freaks of the weather heard of here in years.

## FARMERS CONVERTED BY TELEPHONE

### Bad Roads Prevent Attendance so Evangelist Preaches to Them by Wire

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 8.—Five hundred telephones are connected every evening with a receiver alongside the pulpit of the Methodist church in Neponset where revival services are being conducted. Neighboring towns and farmers of the district avail themselves of the opportunity to listen to the sermons. The roads are so bad from the open winter that transportation into town is almost impossible. Reports of a number of conversions by telephone are coming in.

## HYDE RETIRES FROM BATAVIAN

### A. Hirshheimer Vice-President; Smith Named on Board

S. Y. Hyde, vice president of the Batavian National bank, and interested in several large commercial institutions in La Crosse, has resigned his position with the bank and also as a director. The step of Mr. Hyde's is simply in line with his retirement from active participation in affairs. When the S. Y. Hyde Elevator company sold out its holdings, Mr. Hyde announced that he planned to retire and since then he has been arranging his affairs that he might retire.

Forrest J. Smith and F. A. Copeland have purchased Mr. Hyde's interest in the bank.

**Election of Officers**  
A. Hirshheimer, president of the La Crosse Ploy company, was elected vice president of the Batavian National bank to succeed S. Y. Hyde, vice president, resigned, this afternoon at the annual election of officers. By C. Smith was elected a member of the board of directors to succeed Mr. Hyde.

Following are the officers elected: President—E. E. Bentley. Vice president—A. Hirshheimer. Cashier—E. M. Wing. Assistant cashier—J. C. Bayer.

## WANTS MULES ON MISSOURI'S ARMS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—A resolution introduced in the house today to have two mules replace the bears on Missouri's coat of arms was killed by parliamentary rule. The author says he will continue his effort to secure the change.

## APPLETON POSTMASTER

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—M. F. Barreau has been appointed postmaster at Appleton, Wis.

## GRANTS ANOTHER REPRIEVE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 8.—The governor today granted Hottman an additional ninety days' reprieve, and asked whether it was necessary to reprieve Aggie Meyers, or if the appeal granted by the court acts as a stay. The attorney general will give an opinion before Thursday.

Members of the local social democratic club met at 419 Jay street last night and voted for seven delegates to the national convention.

Lots of women get married before they can afford to.

## WILL LISTEN TO SILENT PLEADING

### So Announces Preacher-Governor of Colorado Today

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 8.—Henry A. Buchtel, chancellor of the University of Denver and Methodist Episcopal minister, was inaugurated governor of Colorado today in the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church. The ceremonies had the appearance of a ministerial function.

An inaugural parade preceded. There will be no inaugural ball, but a reception will be held tonight at the capitol.

He recommends a railroad commission to regulate rates, giving roads just consideration and having authority to permit special rates to aid new industries. He wants the influence of lobbyists minimized, school teachers paid more, favors convict labor and says he will pay more attention to the silent pleadings of the common people than to all the pleadings of those always seeking something from the state.

#### Too Much Johnson

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 8.—There is considerable Johnson in the Minnesota public eye today. Governor John D. Johnson will send a message to the legislature tomorrow. L. H. Johnson was today elected speaker of the house, and Adolph E. L. Johnson was chosen chief clerk.

**Senator Warren Renominated**  
CHEYENNE, Wyo., Jan. 8.—Warren was renominated for senator today by the republicans.

**Primary for California**  
SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 8.—Governor Pardee in his message today urged a primary law similar to Illinois.

## FALLS DOWN ELEVATOR

While placing a "form" of type upon the elevator in The Tribune office yesterday afternoon, the safety device upon the elevator gave way and Foreman Theodore Olson was precipitated to the pressroom fifteen feet below. Page three was, as a consequence, "piled," and a considerable volume of news and advertising matter had to be omitted in last night's issue, a page of stories being inserted to avoid delay in delivery of The Tribune. Mr. Olson, while bruised and scratched about the arms and hands, escaped serious injury, fortunately.

## FIVE SEEK JOBS IN LEGISLATURE

Civil service examinations for positions at the state legislature during the present session were held in the offices of Winter, Esch & Winter, McMillan building, today. Five took the tests.

The applicants, with the examination taken, are:

Melvin B. Johnson, West Salem, postmaster.  
Leonard Kleeber, La Crosse, assistant sergeant at arms.  
R. E. Smith, Galesville, Wis., journal clerk.  
E. N. Sebo, Farmington, assistant sergeant at arms.  
C. A. Worth, La Crosse, index clerk.

## MARRIED AT MINNEAPOLIS

Leo Larson, a former employe of the La Crosse Engraving company, and Miss Hilda Jacobus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jacobus, 1234 La Crosse street, were married at Minneapolis Jan. 5. A sister of the bride received news of the wedding today. Mr. and Mrs. Larson will reside in Minneapolis, where Mr. Larson is employed.

## HOLD UP CORTELYOU NOMINATION

### No Hurry, Say Senators Opposed

## PRESIDENT WINS VICTORY

### In Brownsville Affair and Government is Called a "Buttinsky"

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—At the request of Teller and Daniels the senate today held up the nominations of Cortelyou and Garfield for secretaries of the treasury and interior. Their only excuse was they do not take their offices until March 4, and there is no hurry to confirm their nominations.

**President's Victory**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—The question of the president's authority in the Brownsville affair will not be discussed by the senate committee. The president is victorious to this extent.

**Government Too Officious**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—Senator Overman today discussed the tendency toward centralization of governmental powers, and said the regulation of child labor and education within the states was an encroachment upon the prerogatives of the people which they would not stand.

## INQUIRY INTO THE CAMP SITE

A special from Washington today says: Congressman Esch called on the war department about the trouble over getting land for the Wisconsin rifle range. He requested that owing to the difficulties over enforcing expired options given by property owners two years ago on lands for which they now want more money, action be deferred until a board of inquiry can be sent to Wisconsin to investigate. The authorities have agreed.

Mr. Esch is receiving congratulations on the fact that at the last session he introduced the first compulsory block signal law. In view of recent wrecks and the intense agitation in congress, the matter has suddenly assumed great importance.

## POWERS POSTPONES BASEBALL MEETING

John A. Elliott, president of the La Crosse Baseball club, did not leave to attend the annual meeting of the Wisconsin State league, scheduled for Eau Claire, Wis., today. Last night the meeting was postponed. Powers, president of the club, had called off the meeting because of rain. The meeting will be held Jan. 20.

**WED AT ONALA**  
Donald Comeau and Corzen, Onalaska, were wedded today. The bride and prominent young people of



# DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

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Prices will undoubtedly reach the lowest limit in this gigantic sale of Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods.

Wednesday, Jan. 9th

M. & C. NEWBURG

Corner Third and Pearl Sts.  
La Crosse, Wis.

SAVE THIS AND WAIT UNTIL

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 9th AT 9 A. M.

The entire \$30,000 stock of M. & C. Newburg, Cor. 3rd and Pearl Streets, La Crosse, Wisconsin's Greatest Clothiers, to be placed on sale and sold at retail for less than the actual cost to manufacture, in order to raise a large amount of money to pay the retiring partner in cash. Open Wednesday, January 9th, at 9 A. M.

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# ...DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP... M. & C. NEWBURG

(One of the Newburgs will retire.) After 16 years of business life in La Crosse, one of the Newburgs will retire from business. We are now remarking and rearranging our stock, the building is now CLOSED AND WILL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 9TH AT 9:00 A. M.

When Our Entire Stock will be placed on Sale and will be sold for Less Than Actual Cost of the Raw Material in Order to raise a large amount of Cash to Pay the Retiring Partner

After 16 years of active business life the Newburgs will dissolve partnership. We find ourselves with an enormous stock consisting of more than \$30,000.00 worth of high grade Tailor Made Clothing, Furnishing Goods and Hats on our hands. Rather than to sacrifice our immense stock to some outside individual we will place the entire stock on Sale to be sold at Retail for less than their actual cost to manufacture. This will be a most stupendous undertaking to close out this mammoth \$30,000.00 Stock at Retail in 10 days, but the prices we have placed on the goods will move them out rapidly. This Sale will be held in our large building, Corner Third and Pearl Streets, La Crosse, Wis., and the WORLD'S GREATEST CLOTHING SALE will begin at La Crosse, Wis., Wednesday, January 9th, at 9 A. M. The opening will be a gala day. Bring the children—there will be music all day. It will pay you to come 100 miles to visit this sale. Excursion rates on all roads. Never again will you have such a golden opportunity to dress in such rich raiment at such trifling cost.

## OVERCOATS

You can save at least two-thirds the price you would have to pay the regular retailer.

Splendid Overcoats in medium, heavy and light weights. \$2.98

This Overcoat is of the finest material and is positively worth \$10.00. We will allow you to take this coat home and keep it five days, and if you do not think it worth \$10.00, or no matter what the cause may be, you may return the same and we hereby bind ourselves to refund the \$2.98.

Men's nice, good, durable Overcoats in black and brown, for Sunday wear, positively worth \$4.85

Men's fine Royal Standard Kersey Overcoats in black and blue positively worth \$7.98

Men's fine Overcoats in silk and satin linings, Oxford, black and dark blue shades, worth \$18.00, or your money refunded, no matter what the cause may be, at \$6.98

The finest quality of custom tailor-made and imported Royal Standard Kerseys, all shades and lined with plush, silk or astrakhan, \$12.99, positively worth \$30.00, or your money refunded at any time during this sale. \$12.99

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Boys' Suits and Overcoats, worth \$3.50, at 98c

## Men's and Boys' Trousers

Men's fine Dress Pants, worth \$3.00, or your money refunded. 98c

Men's fine Trousers, for Sunday wear, in worsted and stripes, positively worth \$5.00, \$6.00, and \$7.00, or your money refunded. \$2.37

1,000 pairs of boys' Knee Pants, worth \$1.00, at 39c

Men's good durable Pants, good for Sunday wear, positively and actually cost \$3.00, our price. 98c

### MEN'S DRESS PANTS

Men's dress pants, in plain and stripes pure worsteds, worth up to \$7.00, our price. \$2.37

Sensational Bargains in Boys', Children's and

## Men's Clothing

A fine suit of Men's Clothes, \$2.98 all to match.

This suit is positively worth \$10.00, or your money refunded at any time during this sale.

Men's fine suits, Cheviots and Scotch Plaids, worth \$13.50, or money refunded any time during sale. \$4.98

Men's fine suits in Valour finished Cassimeres, all sizes. This is positively worth \$16.50, or your money back. \$5.85

Venetian lined dress suits, in plain checks and stripes. This suit is positively worth \$25.00. \$7.48

At \$9.98 each you are free to choose a suit or overcoat worth \$22.50 to \$25.00 from 20 lots of as finely made and elegantly finished suits and overcoats as the most fastidious dresser

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At \$22.98 and \$14.85. These represent the product of the world's celebrated looms and the world's most skillful tailors. They equal and guarantee to excel any \$30.00 made to order garment in the world or we cheerfully refund your money. Men's extra fine dress suits, latest styles and shades, heavy silk and satin lined, equal to the finest tailor-made-to-order suit, for \$14.85 and. \$12.48

Don't Fail to See This Suit.

## Underwear Almost Given Away

Men's Finest Summer and Winter Underwear at Less Than Cost of Manufacture

### UNDERWEAR FOR MEN

Men's fleece-lined Underwear, worth \$1.00, price. 39c

Good heavy Underwear for men and boys, worth \$1.00, \$2 and \$3, at 38c, 59c and 79c

## FURNISHINGS

MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS

100 dozen men's Negligee Shirts, of the latest 1906 pattern; worth \$1.00; price. 37c

75 dozen men's shirts, stiff bosom, white and fancy patterns, worth \$1.00; price. 33c

Negligee shirts, worth \$1.00; price. 49c

Men's heavy work socks, worth 25c, at 3c

Men's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, fancy border, worth 25c, price. 3c

Men's silk embroidered suspenders, worth 50c, price. 6c

Men's high grade Linen Collars, worth 15c; price. 3c

Men's all wool long comb Austrian fibre Sweaters, plain and fancy, worth from \$1.75 to \$3; price. 69c

100 dozen Ties, worth 25c, price. 6c

Children's Knee Pants, worth 50c, price. 9c

Best work Shirts on earth, worth 75c; price. 37c

Men's fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers, worth 50c. 19c

Men's fine Dress Gloves, worth 1.00, price. 39c

Men's work Gloves, 50c and 35c grades, at 33c

## HAT DEPARTMENT

Men's Stiff Hats, in all the latest Knox and Dunlap shapes, worth up to \$3.00, price. 98c

Men's Fedoras, in black, brown, light and pearl shades, worth \$3.00, all go at. 98c

Men's Fedoras, in all the newest shades and styles, positively worth \$4.00, our price. \$1.39

200 dozen men's and boys' caps, none worth less than \$1.00, all go at. 33c

100 DOZ. MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS AT 49c

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Seats ready Thursday Evening.

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**Dana's Band Concert** GALLERY 25c.  
Thursday Eve. January 10 1ST AND 2ND FLOOR 50c.

## OPERATION MAKES MISS FOSTER SICK

Miss Tillie Foster who was injured on a tram at Sparta by a tramp who cut her several times with a knife, is seriously ill at her home on Ferry street.

She was operated upon Friday for

an abscess. Dr. Rowles is attending her.

Mrs. J. H. O'Brien of Abbotsford, Wis., is visiting at the Murphy home on Gould street.

Albert Ochler, a well known butcher, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be seriously ill and has slept two days.

Ernest Gorsuch of Mill street, is ill.

## FRACTURES TWO IN GERS IN FALL

Mrs. Kate Sheridan, living with Mr. and Mrs. John Coney, 802 Caledonia street, fell on an icy walk last evening and fractured two fingers. Dr. Snitter reduced the fractures.

## RUNAWAY HITS TELEPHONE POLE

The spirited team of John A. Salzer crashed into a telephone pole in front of Harrier's grocery store on Mill street when they came to a standstill today after running over the cause.

The sleigh was somewhat damaged but no one was injured.

## CHURCHES UNITE IN PRAYER WEEK

The North Presbyterian and the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal churches will have a week of prayer beginning this evening at the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church.

Rev. W. J. Turner will officiate this evening and tomorrow evening. Thursday and Friday Rev. A. L. Wood will speak at the North Presbyterian church.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. CHAS. MCCRATHY

The remains of Mrs. Charles McCrathy, formerly Mrs. D. Herrington of the North side, arrived in this city late yesterday afternoon from Kaukauna, Wis., and were taken to the

Donovan of Caledonia street. Death was due to heart trouble and rheumatism.

Deceased was born in Lindsay, Ont., and came in 1857 from New York to Dane county, Wisconsin, and later to La Crosse where she made her home for about twenty-five years. From here she went to Kaukauna, Wis., where she had lived for about thirteen years.

Those who survive are her daughters, Mrs. Peter Horahan of Caledonia, Mrs. Patrick M. McCaulay of the North side, Mrs. John Donovan, Mrs. Frank Berger of Bonners Ferry, Idaho, and sons, Michael Herrington of Austin, Minn., Con Herrington of La Crosse, Franz C. Herrington, Aberdeen, S. D., Daniels of Wells, Minn., and F. J. Herrington of Antigo, Wis.

Two brothers, Patrick Driscoll of Blue Earth, Minn., and John Driscoll of Appleton, Wis., also survive.

James McCaulay, a grandson who resides on Caledonia street and has been in Minneapolis for some time is here to attend the funeral.

A large number of relatives are also here from Caledonia to attend the funeral which will take place tomorrow morning from the St. James church on Caledonia street. Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating and William Dwyer in charge with interment in the Catholic cemetery.

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Miss Laura Tidball who has been visiting here for the past few days has returned to her home in Onalaska.

Carl Spreen, who has been visiting at his home on Summer street for the last few days, will leave shortly for Mohridge, S. D., where he will be employed on the Pacific extension of the Milwaukee road.

Little Agnes, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Murphy of Gould and Avon streets who has been seriously ill with pneumonia is much improved.

## CITY NEWS

Adolph Reim spent Sunday in the city as the guest of friends. He resides in Milwaukee, Wis.

William G. McKay has resigned his position as secretary and treasurer of the La Crosse Celling and Cornice company and left for Chicago. He

has accepted a position with Swift & Co.

Joseph Check is home from a visit with friends and relatives at Prairie du Chien, Wis.

Katherine Callahan has returned from Wexford, Minn., where she visited friends.

John Mateske is home from a visit

with his brother's family at Norwalk, Wis.

The Presbyterian mission board has recommended that the Presbyterian church at Bangor, Wis., be made self-sustaining in three years. The church has ample funds on hand to do this.

J. M. Hurley, agent for the Smith-Premier company has arrived in the

city from St. Paul and will establish a permanent agency here.

Doctors Gave Me but 3 Days to Live. Father John's Medicine made me well. (Signed) Mary A. E. Reynolds, 2410 117th St., Chicago, Ill. Not a patent medicine.

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# NATIONAL CIGAR STANDS

## The Economy of a Straight Line

The National Cigar Stands Company is an easy, uninterrupted, straight-line channel between tobacco planter and cigar smoker.

The tobacco makes only one stop on the way—at the factory where it is turned into cigars. It pays only one small fare for the whole trip.

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As examples, try any of these—selecting the cigar that best suits your taste and pocket-book:

College Days—Extra good domestic cigar at	6 for 25c
Adel—A first-class domestic cigar presenting superior workmanship	7 for 25c
Cuba-Roma—All Cuban leaf, 8 for 25c. quality, at	5c
Black and White—10c. quality seed-and-Havana	5c
Stirling Castle—Large, plump, clear Havana	6c
La Idalia—Choice clear Havana of exceptional value at	3 for 25c

**ERHART'S DRUG STORE,**  
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# GREAT REMOVAL SALE OF FURNITURE

**\$10,000 Worth** OF NEW UP-TO-DATE FURNITURE, RUGS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS :: ::

Thrown onto the market at manufacturers' prices and less. We have leased the Dunham store at 511-513 Main St. and expect to have our Grand Opening there about February 1st. Therefore our present stock must be closed out and sold by that time. This is the newest, cleanest and best lot of High Grade Furniture and House Furnishings that was ever offered to the people of La Crosse at a slaughter price. We offer the entire stock at

## 25 PER CENT DISCOUNT

and the prices actually lose us money on many lines of the goods. You will find in this stock most anything you want in the line of FURNITURE, RUGS, LACE CURTAINS, PORTIERS, CLOCKS, SILVERWARE, WRINGERS, SWEEPERS, ETC. All the goods are marked in plain figures. Now when you get ONE-FOURTH the price handed back to you, it is surely an inducement to buy.

RIGHT HERE WE WANT TO STOP AND THANK THE PEOPLE OF LA CROSSE FOR THEIR VERY LIBERAL PATRONAGE IN THE SHORT TIME WE HAVE BEEN AMONG YOU, WHICH HAS MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR US TO LOCATE IN LARGER AND BETTER QUARTERS.

Come in whether you want to buy or not, you might find something you want and much cheaper than you expect.

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**JOYCE**  
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**FAVORITISM IN SCHOOL PRINTING**  
There came before the board of education last night a communication from A. A. Liesenfeld, a local job printer, contending that since he has been appointed official job printer for the city, he should receive the printing the public schools.  
But, says the news report of the board's proceedings "Mr. Bird explained that this matter came up once before, and that at that time it was found that the city charter gives the board of education power to make its own contracts."  
Mr. Bird did not explain, however, that the board gets any authority from any source to give the school printing to a city official, illegally, as it has for some time apst.  
For time beyond recollection of the writer the school printing has been awarded to Alderman G. A. Keller, who conducts a job printing plant. Mr. Keller, in his capacity as alderman has been very friendly to the schools and the regime now controlling them, and has used his influence in the city council to promote their welfare and progress. He was, it may be said, the father of the many "additional" appropriations for the new high school, and holds the responsible office of chairman of the council committee on schools.  
All in all, Alderman Keller has been an ardent worker in behalf of Mr. Bird's plans for the improvement of the schools, and has succeeded in promoting to a successful issue many propositions which met some opposition from aldermen less interested in the matter of schools. It is right, therefore that Mr. Bird and members of the board of education should feel grateful to Alderman Keller for his distinguished efforts in their behalf. Mr. Keller, no doubt has their sincere thanks.  
But, nevertheless, neither Prof. Bird, nor members of the board of education should seek to repay Alderman Keller for his efforts, at the expense of breaking the law. Under the laws, a city officer dare not accept city patronage of any sort. This amounts to what we have learned to style "graft." Whether, in the past, those who awarded attractive contracts to Alderman Keller were aware that the law was set at naught, thereby, is a matter, of course, which remains to be explained. Nevertheless, Chairman Keller of the schools committee of the council did the printing, and received stipulated compensation therefor.  
On city job printing this was brought to the attention of Alderman Keller and the council, and as a consequence some one else entered Mr. Keller's bid for him, giving the transaction the aspect of proper form, though Alderman Keller did the printing for the successful bidder, on a very attractive commission basis. Even this, however, was brought to the attention of the council, and the job printing was placed upon a strictly legal and competitive basis, resulting in the appointment of an official city job printer who has a legal right to accept it.  
It is to be expected that now, since the breach of the law has been pointed out to the officials of our schools, that they will eagerly take advantage of the opportunity to permit this same fair, unprejudiced and thoroughly legal method of securing bids for the school printing. For the school printing IS CITY PRINTING, and is paid for out of CITY TAXES collected from citizens, despite the board of education's authority to officiate at letting the contract. The board of education is merely a creation of the people, as is the board of public works.  
Let us see fair play, and let the board of education show its appreciation for Alderman Keller's excellent work in the behalf of the schools in a manner other than subjecting him to the possible embarrassment attendant upon having broken the law in accepting a "favoritism" contract as remuneration.

**LOADING THE SCRAP WAGON**  
There is to be new equipment in the Light Trust plant. Whether it will result as beneficially to that concern as selling out at 50 cents on the dollar would have done, one cannot say. Anyway, it will be better than keeping the money to pay dividends on common stock such as was "believed to be worth 10 cents on the dollar," and "was sold to friends for 50 cents on the dollar."  
The Light Trust manager (by virtue of a five year contract made contemporaneously with divers other transactions) is said to have gone "east" to purchase "equipment." It is not stated whether the equipment will be "Wiley generators." Some-or-another Park engines, etc. It is likely that it will be something of this sort so as to harmonize with the up-to-date-in-1880 machinery now being used.  
Well, having failed to unload, it is likely the Light Trust could not

have done better. They have to be loading up ~~the~~ always, as a matter of habit. The business world having been educated to a degree making it impossible for the Light Trust to unload, it must keep on loading up until the final spill precipitates the top-heavy junk wagon into the gutter.  
That old saying of "sow the wind and ye shall reap the whirlwind," seems rather out of place when one considers that some of our citizens may be called upon to sow the coin of the realm and to reap the second-hand machinery.  
No, dear reader, it is not right that the public board should attempt to pay a debt of gratitude with a financially attractive contract.  
Just in order to make it a bit fatter, we might have some nice pictures of the new high school printed, and distributed about the city.  
It is reported the "lemon" market in the east is to be invaded soon by one of our distinguished citizens' relatives.  
It is little satisfaction to know that "Harriman" is merely a modern synonym for "Standard Oil."  
A knock is always a boost—for the investigators.

**BOARD ELECTS LUENING; PRINTING RUMPUS IMPENDS**  
**Independent Job Printers Object to Further Infractions of Law to Reward Alderman's Activity**

William Luening unanimously was re-elected president of the board of education last night at the annual meeting when committees were appointed to take charge of the public school work for the coming year.  
President Luening, in appointing his committees, announced that L. F. Easton, elected to succeed Henry Gund, resigned, would serve in Commissioner Gund's place on all committees. The committees, thus arranged, are:  
Finance—George H. Ray, J. J. Durland, William Luening.  
Fuel—Otto Loeffler, L. F. Easton, C. L. Lien.  
Grounds and buildings—L. F. Easton, J. J. Durland, Otto Loeffler.  
Schools and teachers—Dr. Edward Evans, William Luening, C. L. Lien.  
Supplies—J. J. Durland, L. F. Easton, George H. Ray.  
Text books—C. L. Lien, Dr. Edward Evans, Otto Loeffler.  
High school—William Luening, Dr. Edward Evans, George H. Ray.  
Commissioner Otto Loeffler reported on the bids received for fuel. The bids were accepted at the following figures:  
South side—Soft wood, cord, \$3.47; hard wood, \$4.50.  
North side—Soft wood, cord, \$3.49 and \$3.75.  
The board authorized Superintendent Bird to appoint a woman janitor at the new high school. The janitor will be expected to take charge of the girls' department.  
The monthly report of the superintendent showed a number of cases of tardiness, due to the poor street car facilities to the new high school.  
**Printing Let Illegally**  
A communication was read from A. A. Liesenfeld, job printer, asking that as official city job printer he be given the school printing. Superintendent Bird explained that this had come up before and that they had decided that they had authority to let contracts, the same as the board of public works, and would let their contracts as they pleased. It has been the custom in the past for the school board to give this contract to Alderman Keller, perhaps in consideration of his efforts as chairman of the council committee on schools. This, however, is illegal, and it is not believed the other job printers of the city will submit to this alleged favoritism any longer without a rumpus. Under the law a city officer, including aldermen, dare not accept a city contract for pay.  
C. A. Kaeppeler left today with samples of woolen goods on a trip through Minnesota.  
Edward Quinn of Waukon, Ia., arrived in the city this morning to accept a position with Verkins & Lachenmaier, the horseshoers, 222 Vine street.

**STATE PROVIDES FOR CHARLIE'S JOB**  
Though the county board of supervisors made no provision for a deputy clerk of the court in placing the salary of the clerk of the court upon a straight basis, Russell Smith, clerk, will have a deputy. The state statutes provide a deputy and there is a \$10,000 court fund from which the salary may be paid. The appointment of Deputy Clerk Charles Smith who twice held the office of clerk himself, must have the approval of Judge Fruit. Charlie is Russell's cousin, and his father was clerk of court for many years.  
Yesterday was general reception day in the county building. The new officers welcomed friends to the building, while the retiring officials did not leave hastily, lingering about the building the entire day.

**POULTRY SHOW**  
321-323 JAY STREET.  
Opens on Wednesday, Jan. 9th, and continues until Monday, Jan. 14th.  
500 BIRDS WILL BE ON EXHIBITION 500  
Special Features Every Evening. Finest collection of Standard Bred Poultry ever seen La Crosse.  
Admission, Adults 15c, Children 5c. Children Free on Thursday.

**JUST LIFE**  
And it was found the city charter gives the board power to make its own contracts.  
The theatrical trust undoubtedly would pay a goodly sum if it could hire Mrs. Christian Science Eddy's busy press agent.  
All during the Christmas advertising rush our column was crowded out of the paper, and since space is available again, we have lost all our hunches.  
At least it may be considered appropriate that that negro troops' trouble took place at Brownsville.  
Colorado's new minister-governor proposes to listen to the silent pleading the common people. Must be a new sort of common people out in Colorado.

**Editorial Paradise**  
Gus Dietsch, editor of the Postville Volksblatt, was interviewing patrons in the city Friday and Saturday. Mr. D. is happy in the possession of a paying newspaper plant and always looks on the bright side of life.—Lansing (Ia.) Journal.  
Can it be possible Fide has gone east to "buy" another "lemon" for La Crosse simplicity to suck?  
The blacksmiths' is an honorable trade—but as a 'pastime it will cost you many friends.  
If they're like the yeomen of old, they'll certainly get those books.  
Having been looked up and "fixed" illegally a year ago, that certainty settles the school printing pap question.  
Well, we suppose our honorable senators will windjam the whole session about that negro troop affair, instead of passing needed legislation. Pass it up, gentlemen, and get busy with something the people are interested in.  
Anyway, we will now have a chance to see if our new fur gloves are "as represented."  
—W. V. K.

**CITY NEWS**  
A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of La Crosse to come and have a cup of cocoa with me Wednesday and Thursday, Jan. 9 and 10, John Tenneson, the grocer, 1307 Market street.  
Mrs. E. A. Rademacher has left for Milwaukee, Wis., after a visit with La Crosse friends during the holidays.  
Misses Emma Timms and Anna Casper left for Chicago, Ill., last night.  
Miss Agnes Nelson left for Evanston, Ill., last night. She will resume her studies at Northwestern university.  
The annual exhibition of the Western Wisconsin Poultry association is to be held in La Crosse this week.  
Charles Collins leaves this week for Madison where he holds a clerical office during the session.  
Local legislators are of the opinion that the pending session of the Wisconsin legislature will be a short one—perhaps about one hundred days.  
F. P. Hixon and wife have gone to California to spend the winter.  
Ice dealers can do little toward harvesting an ice crop until there is a extreme cold weather.  
Ferdinand Dollert, son of Gustav Dollert of the Advance Bedding company, has returned to Milwaukee, where he is a student in the Milwaukee Medical college.  
The printers' union gave its annual smoker Sunday. Pierre Lavallee acted as toastmaster.  
A cinch party will be given this evening, January 8, at St. Wenceslaus church, corner Tenth and Winnebago street by the ladies club of the church.  
Mr. Scofield, representing the Plev Automobile agency in Chicago, has returned to that city after spending several days in La Crosse on business.  
The Woodward Supply company expects to move into the double store recently vacated by C. N. Dunham on Main street, soon.

**The National Bank of La Crosse**  
**Comparative Statement**  
January First 1906 1907  
**RESOURCES**  
Loans and Discounts..... \$ 2,592,152.14 \$ 2,990,160.79  
Overdrafts..... 1,528.88 916.53  
U. S. Bonds to Secure Circulation..... 250,000.00 250,000.00  
Other Bonds..... 210,800.00 191,650.00  
Banking House..... 50,000.00 50,000.00  
Other Real Estate..... 100.00 100.00  
Cash Resources..... 890,974.52 964,436.02  
\$ 3,995,555.54 \$ 4,447,263.34  
**LIABILITIES**  
Capital..... \$ 250,000.00 \$ 250,000.00  
Surplus..... 200,000.00 250,000.00  
Undivided Profits..... 3,626.76 9,238.57  
Circulation..... 248,400.00 248,300.00  
Deposits..... 3,293,528.78 3,689,724.77  
\$ 3,995,555.54 \$ 4,447,263.34  
**United States Depository**

**A STATEMENT**  
To those of my friends who are under the impression that I have gone out of business, because I disposed of the La Crosse Magazine, I wish to say that I am still in the job printing business, as heretofore, and have no intention of quitting.  
The magazine was not the whole of my business. I have disposed of it, and from henceforth it will be printed in another shop. I still own the type, machinery, etc., which is well adapted to the job printing business, and with which I hope to continue at the old stand.  
H. E. WHEATON.  
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Its Perfectly Dandy and Does the Work  
25c  
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The Cleanest and Neatest Place of Amusement in the Country.  
5c—ADMISSION—10c  
CONTINUOUS PROGRAM { 2:00 to 4:30 7:30 to 10:30  
Program Week Jan. 7.  
No. 1. A Clown's Revenge.  
No. 2. Dolly Varden, A Romance.  
No. 3. Burglars At Work.  
No. 4. The Last Witch, or the Abduction of the Child.  
No. 5. Friendship Better Than Riches.  
No. 6. The Poor Artist's Dream.  
Illustrated Songs:  
By The Talented ERIC CARRINGTON, With Beautiful Slides.  
No. 7. Daddie's Little Girl.  
No. 8. When the Bees Are in the Hive.  
Matinee Every Day at 2 P. M.

"I cannot tell what the dickens his name is."  
--Shakespeare.  
Of course, this cannot be said of La Crosse Merchants—that is those Merchants who use Electric Signs and Window Lights.  
**Wisconsin Service Electric Light**



# APPLES

Ben Davis, Gano Jonathan,  
Baldwins, Greenings,  
All Fresh Stock from Cold  
Storage.  
Car Bananas Due Tomorrow.

**JOHN C. BURNS**  
Fruit House

## HAWLEY, JONES OR BUBSER IS THE BASEBALL "DOPE"

Two Secondary Stars are Under Consideration, but Hawley will no Doubt be Retained

"Bumpus" Jones or George Hubser for manager of the La Crosse baseball team for the 1907 season if "Pink" Hawley is not re-elected.

This is the baseball situation in La Crosse today, previous to the special meeting of the club to elect a vice president and treasurer. A manager also will be chosen at this meeting.

Though there is a well defined feeling that "Pink" Hawley ought to be retained for manager in 1907 some may advocate the release of former national leaguer on account of the heavy expense attached to maintaining a bench manager. Many fans contend that Hawley ought to be retained for the season, if for no other reason than to show the appreciation of La Crosse for his efforts during the last two seasons when the championship was won after hard battles.

Other teams secured professional players to do battle with La Crosse for the coveted pennant, while La Crosse plugged along with the same old team, winning out through team work and heavy managing in a tight pinch. Contenders for the championship spent nearly the year's salary of Hawley to secure pitchers and extra men to wrest the pennant from La Crosse.

If the directors decide to release

Hawley, he will not be without a berth. Green Bay will take Hawley at a premium while other clubs probably would be willing to give a good round price for the genial manager of the Champs. At any rate, "Pink" probably will say goodbye to the Wisconsin State league if he succeeds in winning another pennant this year, no matter with what team he is connected.

Big league owners have watched the work of the former pitcher with interest and probably will make an offer of several years' state league salaries to manage a team in the American or National leagues in 1908.

With Hawley gone, Bubser and Jones are the two most prominent candidates for the managerial position. Bubser has a shade better of the argument now, for he has had experience as a state league manager. It is said that Bubser is on the lookout for promising youngsters for the La Crosse club.

The entire argument is not with Bubser, however. Jones has had baseball experience in the Wisconsin State league and also the Three Eye league. He is a ready player and knows the game.

The directors probably will choose between one of these star pitchers if Hawley is not retained.

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Men's Natural Grey Undershirts and Drawers, single breasted, regular 50c value, sale price..... **35c**  
Men's Union made blue flannel shirts, reg. 25c value, sale price..... **21c**  
Men's Union made blue flannel shirts worth \$1.25, our gigantic clearance sale price **89c**  
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# MRS. EDDY'S REPLY TO THE JANUARY McCLURE ARTICLE

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 8.—(The January issue of McClure's Magazine, which undertakes to publish the history of the early life of the Reverend Mary Baker Eddy, Leader of the Christian Scientists, and her family, has been brought to the attention of Mrs. Eddy. She has taken the pains to correct the matter, and has sent out the following statement over her own signature:

It is curious on Christian Science to say that man is aroused to thought or action only by ease, pleasure, or recompense. Something higher, nobler, more imperative, impels the impulse of soul.

It becomes my duty to be just to the departed and to tread not ruthlessly on their ashes. The attack on me and my late father and his family in McClure's Magazine, January, 1907, compels me as a dutiful child and the leader of Christian Science to speak.

McClure's Magazine refers to my father's "tall, gaunt frame," and pictures "the old man tramping doggedly along the highway regularly beating the ground with a huge walking stick."

My father's person was erect and robust. He never used a walking stick. To illustrate: One time when my father was visiting Governor Pierce, President Franklin Pierce's father, the Governor handed him a gold-headed walking stick as they were about to start for church. My father thanked the Governor, but declined to accept the stick, saying, "I never use a cane."

Although McClure's Magazine attributes my father language unseemly, his household law, constantly enforced, was no profanity and no slang phrases. McClure's Magazine only declares that the Bible was the only book in his house. On the contrary, my father was a great reader.

Three men, whom McClure's Magazine characterizes as "ignorant, dominating, passionate, fearless," was uniformly dignified—a well-informed, intellectual man, cultivated in mind and manners. He was called upon to do much business for his town, making out deeds, settling quarrels, and even acting as counsel in a law-suit involving a question of pauperism between the towns of Loudon and Bow, N. H. Franklin Pierce, afterward President of the United States, was the counsel for Loudon and Mark Baker for Bow. Both entered their pleas, and my father won the suit. After it was decided, Mr. Pierce bowed to my father and congratulated him. For several years, father was chaplain of the New Hampshire State Militia, and as I recollect it, he was Justice of the Peace at one time. My father was a strong believer in States rights, but slavery he regarded as a great sin.

Mark Baker was the youngest of his father's family, and inherited his father's real estate, an extensive farm situated in Bow and Concord, N. H. It is on record that Mark Baker's father paid the largest tax in the colony.

McClure's Magazine says, describing the Baker homestead at Bow: "The house itself was a small, square box structure of rudimentary architecture." My father's house had a sloping roof after the prevailing style of architecture at that date.

McClure's Magazine states: "Alone of the Bakers, he (Albert) received a liberal education." \* \* \* Mary Baker passed her first fifteen years at the ancestral home at Bow. It was a lonely and unstimulating existence. The church supplied the only social diversion, the district school practically all the intellectual life."

Let us see what were the fruits of this "lonely and unstimulating existence." All my father's daughters were given an academic education, sufficiently advanced so that they all taught school acceptably at various times and places.

My brother Albert was a distinguished lawyer. In addition to my academic training, I was privately tutored by him. He was a member of the New Hampshire Legislature, and was nominated for Congress but died before the election.

McClure's Magazine calls my youngest brother, George Sullivan Baker, "a workman in a Tilton woolen mill." As a matter of fact, he was joint partner with Alexander Tilton, and together they owned a large manufacturing establishment in Tilton, N. H. His military title of Colonel came from appointment on the staff of the Governor of New Hampshire.

My oldest brother, Samuel D. Baker, carried on a large business in Boston, Mass.

Regarding the allegation by McClure's Magazine that all the family, "excepting Albert, died of cancer," I will say that there was never a death in my father's family reported by physician or post-mortem examination as caused by cancer.

McClure's Magazine says that "the quarrels between Mary, a child ten years old, and her father, a gray-haired man of fifty, frequently set the house in an uproar," and adds that these "quarrels" were diagnosed by Dr. Ladd as "hysteria mingled with bad temper."

My mother often presented my disposition as exemplar for her other children to imitate, saying, "When do you ever see Mary angry?" When the first edition of Science and Health was published, Dr. Ladd said to Alexander Tilton: "Read it for it will do you good. It does not surprise me, it so resembles the author."

I will relate the following incident, which occurred later in life, as illustrative of my disposition:

While I was living with Dr. Patterson at his country home in Rumney, N. H., a girl, totally blind, knocked at the door and was admitted. She begged to be allowed to remain with me, and my tenderness and sympathy were such that I could not refuse her. Shortly after, however, my good housekeeper said to me: "If this blind girl stays with you, I shall have to leave; she troubles me so much."

It was not in my heart to turn the blind girl out so I lost my housekeeper.

My reply to the statement that the clerk's book shows that I joined the Tilton Congregational Church at the age of seventeen years is that my religious experience seemed to culminate at twelve years of age. Hence a mistake may have occurred as to the exact date of my first church membership.

The facts regarding the McNeil coat-of-arms are as follows:

Fannie McNeil, President Pierce's niece, afterward Mrs. Judge Potter, presented to me my coat-of-arms, saying that it was taken in connection with her own family coat-of-arms. I never doubted the veracity of her gift. I have another coat-of-arms, which is of my mother's ancestry. When I was last in Washington, D. C., Mrs. Judge Potter and myself knelt in silent prayer on the mound of her late father, General John McNeil, the hero of Lundy Lane.

Notwithstanding that McClure's Magazine says, "Mary Baker completed her education when she finished Smith's grammar and reached long division in arithmetic," I was called by the Rev. R. S. Rust, D. D., Principal of the Methodist Conference Seminary at Sanbornton Bridge, to supply the place of his leading teacher during her temporary absence.

Regarding my first marriage and the tragic death of my husband, McClure's Magazine says: "He (George Washington Glover) took his bride to Wilmington, South Carolina, and in June, 1844, six months after his marriage, he died of yellow fever. He left his young bride in a miserable plight. She was far from home and entirely without money or friends. Glover, however, was a free-mason, and thus received a decent burial. The masons also paid Mrs. Glover's fare to New York City, where she was met and taken to her father's home by her brother George." \* \* \* Her position was an embarrassing one. She was a grown woman, with a child, but entirely without means of support. \* \* \* Mrs. Glover made only one effort at self-support. For a brief season she taught school."

My first husband, Major George W. Glover, resided in Charleston, South Carolina. While on a business trip to Wilmington, North Carolina, he was suddenly seized with yellow fever and died in about nine days. I was with him on this trip. He took with him the usual amount of money he would need on such an excursion. At his decease, I was surrounded by friends, and their provisions in my behalf were most tender. The Governor of the State and his staff, with a long procession, followed the remains of my beloved one to the cemetery.

The freemasons selected my escort, who took me to my father's home in Tilton, N. H. My salary for writing gave me ample support. I did open an infant school, but it was for the purpose of starting that educational system in New Hampshire. The rhyme attributed to me by McClure's Magazine is not mine, but is, I understand, a paraphrase of a silly song of years ago. Correctly quoted, it is as follows, so I have been told:

Go to Jane Glover,  
Tell her I love her;  
By the light of the moon  
I will go to her.

The various stories told by McClure's Magazine about my father spreading the road in front of his house with tan-bark and straw, and about persons being hired to rock me, I am ignorant of. Nor do I re-

member any such stuff as Dr. Patterson driving into Franklin, N. H., with a coach or cradle for me in his wagon. I only know that my father and mother did everything they could think of to help me when I was ill.

I was never "given to long and lonely wanderings, especially at night," as stated by McClure's Magazine. I was always accompanied by some responsible individual when I took an evening walk, but I seldom took one. I have always consistently declared that I was not a medium for spirits. I never was especially interested in the Shakers, never "dabbled in mesmerism," never was "an amateur clairvoyant," nor did "the superstitious country folk frequently seek my advice." I never went into a trance to describe scenes far away, as McClure's Magazine says.

My oldest sister dearly loved me, but I wounded her pride when I adopted Christian Science, and to a Baker that was a sorry offence.

McClure's Magazine calls Dr. Daniel Patterson, my second husband, "an itinerant dentist." It says that after my marriage we "lived for a short time at Tilton, then moved to Franklin." \* \* \* During the following nine years the Pattersons led arduous existence. The doctor practiced in several towns, from Tilton to North Groton and Rumney."

When I was married to him, Dr. Daniel Patterson was located in Franklin, N. H. He had the degree D. D. S., was a popular man, and considered a rarely skillful dentist. He bought a place in Rumney, which he fancied, for a summer resort. At that time he owned a house in Franklin, N. H.

Although, as McClure's Magazine claims, the court record may state that my divorce from Dr. Patterson was granted on the ground of desertion, the cause nevertheless was adultery. Individuals are here today who were present in court when the decision was given by the judge and who know the following facts. After the evidence had been submitted that a husband was about to have Dr. Patterson arrested for eloping with his wife, the court instructed the clerk to record the divorce in my favor.

What prevented Dr. Patterson's arrest was a letter from me to this self-same husband, imploring him not to do it. When this husband recovered his wife, he kept her a prisoner in her home, and I was also the means of reconciling the couple. A Christian Scientist has told me that, with tears of gratitude the wife of this husband related these facts to her just as I have stated them. I lived with Dr. Patterson peaceably, and he was kind to me up to the time of the divorce.

The following affidavit by R. D. Rounsavel of Littleton, N. H., proprietor of the White Mountain House, Fabyans, N. H., the original of which is in my possession, is of interest in this connection:

About the year 1874, Dr. Patterson, a dentist, boarded with me in Littleton, New Hampshire. During his stay, at different times I had conversation with him about his wife from whom he was separated. He spoke of her as being a pure Christian woman, and the cause of the separation being wholly on his part, that if he had done as he ought he might have had as pleasant and happy home as one could wish for.

At that time, I had no knowledge of who his wife was. Later on I learned that Mary Baker G. Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, was the above mentioned woman.

(Signed) R. D. Rounsavel.  
Grafton, S. S., January 18th, 1902.

Then personally appeared R. D. Rounsavel and made oath that the within statement by him signed is true.

Before me,  
H. M. WOOD,  
Justice of the Peace.

I was obliged to be parted from my son, because after my father's second marriage my little boy was not welcomed in my father's house.

Who or what is the McClure "history" so-called presenting? Is it myself, the veritable Mrs. Eddy, whom the New York World declared dying of cancer, or is it her alleged double or dummy heretofore described?

If indeed it be I, allow me to thank the enterprising historians for the testimony they have thereby given of the divine power of Christian Science, which they admit has snatched me from the cradle and the grave, and made me the beloved leader of millions of good men and women in our own and in other countries,—and all this because, the truth I have promulgated has separated the tares from the wheat, uniting in one body those who love Truth; because Truth divides between sect and Science and renews the heavenward impulse; because I still hear the harvest song of the Redeemer awakening the nations, causing man to love his enemies; because "blessed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake."

*Mary Baker G. Eddy*

**A QUAKER**  
Tells How They Do in Philadelphia.

Doubtless Heaven will be full of surprise at what simple things had formerly made us happy or unhappy! If a man insisted on taking salsoda dissolved in his drinking water day after day and wondered why his stomach was irritated, people would think he was crazy. It's about as bad to take the drug that's in coffee, into your stomach, although it's an old time-honored habit to do so.

"I used to be a great coffee drinker and thought there was nothing so nourishing as coffee except milk. But I was sickly, with hollow cheeks and headache about all the time," said a Phila. man the other day.

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"When I was thus half convinced that coffee had done me harm, I thought I'd try a package of Postum. I made it carefully according to directions, and it was simply great."

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There is certain cure for you. Cancer is your deadliest enemy, and you can cure it once. Don't grudge with it. It grows every day. Your life is at stake. With the great Dr. Curry Cancer Cure you can cure your cancer. Write for a free copy of the book. You may save yourself if you send me your name and address on the coupon below.

I have one of the best cancer cures in the country. I have cured thousands with all the modern conveniences of hot and cold water, steam heat and electric light and every comfort. For those who wish to come and buy my personal attention, I will guarantee a cure or make no charge whatever for my services or medicine. How ever, you can cure yourself just as well at home. I readily refer you to any bank or business firm in Lebanon.

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If you suffer from cancer in any form, simply fill in your name and address on the coupon below and mail today to Dr. G. M. Curry, 2721 Curry Building, Lebanon, Ohio. You will be surprised how easily you can cure yourself at home without risk or danger.

**SALE OF MILEAGE BOOKS**

(Tribune Special Service.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8.—Railroad attorneys from far and near swooped down today upon the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce; this being the date set by the committee to begin hearings on the Sherman bill requiring railways to sell mileage books at the rate of 2 cents per mile, the rate to be uniform everywhere.

**In the Name of Sense,**  
that good common sense of which all of us have a share, how can you continue to buy ordinary soda crackers, stale and dusty as they must be, when for 5¢ you can get

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fresh from the oven, protected from dirt by a package the very beauty of which makes you hungry.

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**SUITS** Sponged, Brushed and Pressed 50c and 75c.  
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"MADE GOOD FOR GOVERNOR JOHNSON."  
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While Mercury and Potash may mask the disease in the system and cover up the outward symptoms for awhile, they cannot cure Contagious Blood Poison; when the treatment is left off, the disease will return worse than before. Mercury and Potash eat out the delicate lining of the stomach and bowels, produce chronic dyspepsia, cause the teeth to decay, make spongy, tender gums, affect the bones and nerves; and often cause Mercurial Rheumatism, the most hopeless form of this disease. Thousands have taken the mineral treatment faithfully for years to find, when it was left off, that the disease had only been smoldering in the system, and the old symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, falling hair, copper-colored spots, swollen glands, sores and ulcers, etc., would return in all their hideousness, and they were no nearer a cure than when they first commenced the treatment.

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**NO STROPPING, NO HONING.**

Set consists of 12 double-edged blades (24 keen cutting edges) with triple silver-plated holder in velvet-lined case. Each blade good for an average of more than 20 satisfying shaves. Handle and blade guaranteed to be perfect in material and workmanship. Inquire about SPECIAL FREE TRIAL OFFER.

Gillette-Sales Company, 21 Times Building, New York City.

It is mighty inconsistent for men to blame women for not understanding politics when nobody else does. When a man's daughter is engaged, he can't go into the parlor even to look for an old pipe.

Perhaps the reason it is called "the holidays" is that it is a season when we are all worked to death. At any rate, the fellow who marries for love isn't so often reminded of what he married for.



Only a paper which can give the largest publicity to your want is adequately "advertising" that want. Tribune want ads. bring results.

# TRIBUNE WANTS

One cent a word first insertion and one-half cent for all subsequent insertions. No advertisement taken for less than ten cents.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE

FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.

WANTED—At Eagle hotel, a cook, 120 South Fifth street.

LADIES—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in short time, mailed free. Moler College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Two chambermaids at Law Hotel.

WANTED—Girl, Allen hotel.

WANTED—Marking girl at Modern Steam laundry, 116 North Third street.

WANTED—At once for general housework, an industrious, honest girl or woman, good pay. Mrs. Goldish, 618 North Ninth street.

LADIES—Make \$1 every day at home; stamped envelope, particulars. Ladies' Aid, Durham, Ct.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Steam Laundry company, 117 South Front street.

WANTED—Girl, general housework, 1242 Park avenue (Tyler street).

SUSIE McDONALD, ladies' fine tailoring and dressmaking. 1403 Winnebago, old phone 2803.

MINISTER, a lover of horses, wants a good young driving horse. Must be fine traveler, stylish, perfectly safe, not afraid of trains or cars, day or night. Age from 5 to 8, thoroughly sound, one with some spirit. Advertiser is an experienced driver. Want to buy the horse from a reliable party "on time," and anyone having such a horse to sell to a Christian minister who would treat animal well, on that financial plan, is invited to write at once to "Preacher," in care of the editor of the La Crosse Tribune, La Crosse, Wis.

## MISS MILLIE OFFERDINGER MANICURE

Scalp Treatment, Electrical Facial Treatment, Blemishes Removed  
New Phone 568A 129 S. Fourth St.

## HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Press feeders at Knothe, 409 South Third street.

WANTED—500 men to eat Chile Con Carne every night, 10 cents per bowl. Sun restaurant, 111 North Third street.

Men—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

IMMEDIATELY YOUNG MEN—Bright from Wisconsin to prepare for entrance Exams, for Railway Mail Clerks. Good Prospects. Particulars FREE. 322 Inter-State Bldg., Cedar Rapids, Ia.

WANTED—Young men for cutting at Valvy Garment company.

SEVERAL EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHERS—Men preferred, to prepare for coming Exams. for positions in Gov't Service. Average beginning salary \$1000. Fine Future. Box 570, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

WANTED—100 men to eat oyster stews, 15 cents a bowl at the Merchants' restaurant, 225 Main street. Twenty-one big meals \$3. Open day and night.

WANTED—Copy of Tribune of July 2, 1906. Will pay to cents. Call Tribune.

WANTED—Second hand fireproof safe. C. N. Hawley, 115 Pearl street.  
WANTED—Ten good, experienced duck and sheep skin coat makers, at once. Martin Bros. company.

## Special Announcement Regarding the National Pure Food and Drug Law

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. O. T. Erhart.

# THE MARKETS

## LOCAL WHOLESALE MARKETS

**Butter and Eggs**  
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)  
Creamery—Pound 33c.  
Renovated butter—25 to 27c.  
Roll butter—26c.  
No. 1 dairy butter—26 to 28c.  
Eggs—Dozen, 25c.

**Cheese**  
(Quoted by Henry Anderegg.)  
Cream cheese, 14 and 14½c.  
Brick cheese, 13½ and 14c.  
Limburger, 12 and 13c.  
Longhorns, 15c.  
Young Americans, 15c.  
Dairies, 14½c.  
German hand—Per box, 90c.

**Flour**  
(Prices by A. Grams & Sons.)  
Patent—Per barrel, \$4.40.  
Straight—Barrel, \$4.20.

**Mill Feed**  
Shorts—Per ton, \$19.  
White middlings—Ton, \$21.  
Red dog—Per ton, \$23.  
Bran—Per ton, \$18.

**Grain**  
(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)  
Winter wheat—60 to 63c.  
Spring wheat—63 to 65c.  
Barley, 35 to 45c.  
Corn—25 to 40c.  
Rye—35 to 38c.  
Oats—30 to 32c.

**Livestock**  
(Quoted by Langdon & Boyd.)  
Hogs—\$5.25 to \$5.75.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50 to \$3.50; heifers, \$2.25 to \$3.  
Sheep, \$3 to \$4.  
Lamb—\$4 to \$5.50.

**Provisions**  
Lard—11½c to 11¾c.  
Hams—13c to 13½c.  
Bacon—13½c to 14c.  
Shoulders, 10c.  
Picnic hams—9½c.  
Dry beef—14½c to 16½c.

**Prices on City Market**  
Wild hay—\$8.  
Tame hay—\$10.50.

## LOCAL RETAIL MARKETS

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)  
Eggs—Strictly fresh, 30c.  
Butter—Dairy, 30c; creamery, 35c.

**Wood**  
Dry hard wood—\$5.25 to \$5.50.  
Bottom wood—\$4.50.

**Fruits**  
Eating apples—Peck, 25 to 40c.  
Cooking apples—Peck, 25c.  
Oranges—Dozen, 35 to 50c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 25c and 30c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 15 to 20c.

**Vegetables**  
Head lettuce—Bunch, 10 to 15c.  
Celery—Stalk, 5c.  
Cauliflower—20c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
New Cabbage—Each, 5c.  
Potatoes—Bushel, 50c.  
Carrots—Peck, 15c.  
Beets—Peck, 15c.  
Rutabagoes—Peck, 10 to 15c.

**Fish**  
Sweet potatoes—Six pounds, 25c.  
Hubbard squash, 5 to 10c.  
Pears—Dozen, 20 to 25c.  
Pickling onions—Peck, 25c.  
Pumpkins—Each, 5c.  
California grapes—Basket, 25c.  
Cawtaba grapes—Basket, 25c.  
Malaga grapes—Per pound, 20c.

**Poultry**  
(Quoted by H. M. Sieger.)  
Pickerel, 8c; pike, 12½c; white, 15c; trout, 12½c; salmon, 15c; herring, 4 to 5c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

**Old chickens, 10c; young chickens, 2½c; turkeys, 16c; ducks, 15c; geese, 2½c.**

# When You're Tired

You need something to refresh you. Our NEBUER GINGER ALE will do its work most effectively. We recommend that you insist on getting the NEBUER GINGER ALE. For Sale Everywhere.

North Side Bottling Works  
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**An Insidious Danger**  
One of the worst features of kidney trouble is that it is an insidious disease and before the victim realizes his danger he may have a fatal malady. Take Foley's Kidney Cure at the first sign of trouble as it corrects irregularities and prevents Bright's disease and diabetes. O. T. Erhart.

# RESURRECTION OF LA CRESCENT

## A PROPHET'S VISION

(By Rev. Lyn G. J. Kelly.)

Magnificently encircled by lofty woodland bluffs, at all times artistically picturesque, and keeping close companionship with "the father of waters," the venerable, silent Mississippi, as it flows on its even way alongside of the main railroad track of the Chicago, Milwaukee line between Chicago and La Crosse, is the old town of La Crescent, a town much older, it is said, than its near and thriving neighbor, La Crosse.

For some time past this beautiful locality, with its cheerful, sober folk, has been occupying a very obscure place amongst the towns of Minnesota, and an eternal quietness seemed to be the destiny appointed for it. Till but recently nothing has really happened to challenge in any way that threatened destiny, for no great commotion, commercial, municipal, political, moral or religious, ever breaks into the accustomed quiet and restfulness of its daily life, except when something very unusual and altogether unexpected happens, which creates temporary enthusiasm and some small excitement, as for instance, a fire, such as recently destroyed the old school building, on which occasion absolutely the whole town turned out of doors not only to witness, but nearly all men and women alike, to become impromptu "firemen," and self appointed members of a "bucket brigade," which, however, was powerless in subduing this "bad master," for all too well and quickly did the fire do its destructive work, and then La Crescent fell back into its peacefulness again until something else of a like rousing nature should happen within its precincts.

But now at last there are being manifested to all who can read the signs of the times and who keep an open eye, evidences that this little town is awaking from its long semicomatose state. The long winter is over, the spring of resurrection is here at our doors, and the happy inhabitants of La Crescent hail it with increasing delight. Slowly but surely a better day for this "deserving" borough has arrived, and an even better one is yet to dawn in the near future. The town is acquiring new life and powers, and the voices are to be heard in its streets, foretelling almost the day and the hour when La Crescent will "do business, in great waters," and will open its doors to large and prospering manufacturing interests, for which it is amply qualified by its close proximity to La Crosse and by its own peculiar resources. These town prophets are sanely minded, far-seeing men, shrewd in commercial understanding and affairs, some of La Crescent's best men, in fact, and they have a goodly following who believe them, even in their fondest dreams.

One of the sure signs of resurrection and of onward progress is the large, splendidly designed school-house, which raises its lofty pinnacle to the sky. This building stands to the eternal credit of the progressive, wide-awake element of La Crescent, which against opposition, determined, prolonged and even bitter, recognizes the essential need of good education, education, up to date, and fitting for the several duties of life, the "young and rising race," and this seat of education, under the competent guidance and lead of Professor Castor, will, in the opinion of the progressive party, be a "drawing card" for the aristocracy of the country, who will soon come to reside within the borders of the town, so as to give the benefits the school offers to their children, and thus will the population increase, and the aristocracy of the "broad acres" will play their part in the future welfare of La Crescent as good citizens. Yes, the new school-house is one of the surest signs and manifest tokens of the resurrection of this town from deadness and obscurity to a well earned glory, for the glory of a town is in the benefits it offers to its people.

But this is not the only sign of promise or of life anew. There are three nice churches in La Crescent, to mould public opinion and guide it in right channels, and to help keep life pure and sweet and strong. The Presbyterian church with a rather choice, though not large congregation, under the efficient care of one of God's finest and truest gentlemen, who has also two other outlying flocks, to nurture and sustain and guide; the Methodist church, a popular church, in which for some time past, some of the chief officials have been ladies (and good ladies, too), and in which

church some of the most earnest supporters and adherents, have passed far beyond "the three score years and ten." One of the oldest members is a man over 86 years of age, but a miracle of health, for his step is elastic yet and his constitution is vigorous, and he braves the winter weather with the triumph and pleasure of healthful youth. A lady member of 82 and looks twenty years younger. The pastor, an Englishman, not long ago from London, believes in a practical and social gospel and tries to apply it to La Crescent. The Christian Social Institute, one of the most successful and popular ventures in La Crescent, and an entirely new departure, is putting that belief into practice, for the pastor saw the need of the men and boys for a place where in evenings they could meet together for healthy and legitimate recreation, in many and various ways, and the Christian Social Institute with its reading room, games room, debates, entertainments, etc., and its awakening influence on the town, has come to stay, and is another sign of resurrection glory and life.

A few weeks back, the remaining church, the Roman Catholic, under the lead of the enterprising and good natured Father Dolle, engaged a Chicago missionary apostolic of that faith to conduct a special mission for a week in La Crescent, in defence of the Roman Catholic church. Father Laycock was a gifted orator, a skillful, convincing expositor of the Roman Catholic faith and practice, and a man of very wide experience and a sweet disposition, and when one saw nightly the congregations of Catholics and Protestants alike that crowded into that large church, it was another sign that La Crescent was suddenly alive again, and one had a faint kind of suspicion that under the winsome spell of the missionary and his kindly sympathetic presentation of his creed that some very attentive members of the Protestant fold might get converted to the "Mother Church," but so far the suspicion is without justification. After Father Laycock departed with Catholic honors, a revivalist came to take services in the Methodist church, and for about three weeks the church and also the town, was in the grip of as severe and relentless an evangelistic tornado as ever passed that way, and many of the people kept in their homes, rather than face the blast. Day and night it raged—rebuke and warning, vehement, pointed and strong, followed one another in quick succession. The sermons and methods of the Catholic father seemed to "take" with the people of old La Crescent, so well established in its religious belief, more favorably than those of the evangelist, and this meeting closed with but a small congregation, and but a comparatively few converts. When the genial, sunny presiding elder of the district came at the close of the campaign, it was like the advent of the sunshine after storm, and one was forcibly reminded of the Scriptural contrast of Moses, stern and human, on the one hand, and "the seer of Patmos," with his visions and his face aglow with Heaven's light, on the other.

Lastly, and commercially, another sign of resurrection, life and glory is the prosperous and prospering firm, the Smith Grubber company. This is the most progressive and wide awake enterprise around town. Since early fall, buildings to the extent of some \$15,000 have been put up, to keep pace with the growing business, that of making grubbing machines, for ground clearing. These machines are shipped constantly to all parts of the civilized world, the correspondence is large, a good office staff is employed, including a stenographer and the office is fitted with all modern time-saving appliances, even the automatic postage stamp moistening and sticking device, by which a huge mail is promptly stamped. The inventor of the machine, Mr. William Smith, has reaped a fortune, and lives in a fine residence in the town in comparative retirement, while his two enterprising sons control the prosperous business. A good number of workmen are employed, and the number is constantly increasing. The time is not very far distant when the Smith Grubber company, (and with them, others, who will follow their lead) will lift La Crescent out of its long obscurity and quietness, for in the coming future, this firm intends to build an hotel, a store, a reading room, and every other necessary convenience for the benefit

Report of the Financial Condition of THE BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK located at La Crosse, state of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 12th day of November, 1906:

**RESOURCES**  
Loans and discounts.....\$2,558,037.73  
Overdrafts.....238.00  
U. S. bonds.....400,000.00  
Other bonds.....92,721.46  
Bank house and fixtures.....75,000.00  
5 per ct. redemption fund.....20,000.00  
Cash and due from banks.....597,887.22

\$3,743,884.50

**LIABILITIES**  
Capital stock.....\$400,000.00  
Surplus.....100,000.00  
Undivided profits.....40,243.82  
National bank notes outstanding.....395,000.00  
Deposits.....2,808,640.68

\$3,743,884.50

Report of the condition of THE STATE BANK La Crosse, Wis., Nov. 12, 1906.

**RESOURCES**  
Loans and discounts.....\$671,625.17  
Overdrafts.....635.54  
Bonds.....44,218.25  
Premium on bonds.....123.52  
Stocks and other securities.....28,490.00  
Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....10,000.00  
Due from banks.....231,167.42  
Checks on other banks and cash items.....1,644.80  
Exchanges for clearing house.....9,077.29  
Cash on hand.....61,430.84

Total.....\$1,058,418.83

**LIABILITIES**  
Capital stock paid in.....\$50,000.00  
Surplus fund.....50,000.00  
Undivided profits.....13,771.04  
Deposits.....944,647.79

Total.....\$1,058,418.83

**NOTICE**  
Prices of Funeral Outfits: Hearse and Carriages \$1.50 ea. Wedding Carriages \$2.00 each. North Side and Sundays excepted. First class Turnouts. Up-to-date Leaders in all Carriages. Tel. 102 CLARK & CLARK, Livery Stable

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NORTH LA CROSSE.  
Capital.....\$25,000.00  
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A general banking business

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of their employees. The population will, say the prophets, be double what it is now, and the future La Crescent will worthily take its place as a busy center of prominent manufacturing interests, and as a popular suburb of La Crosse. The "model village" of the Smith Grubber company will, it is believed, be run on the lines of the successful venture of the great English chocolate manufacturer, Richard Cadbury, viz. Bourneville, where every one of his thousand or more employees live together in peace and good fellowship, sharing the profits of the huge business, having a fair and living wage, a reasonable working day, clean, good homes, and where no saloons open their doors to do harm. There will be heard the whirr and burr of busy factory machinery, smoke will rise from many factory chimneys, houses will go up and about, department stores with enterprising proprietors will do a thriving business for town and country, and La Crescent will be one of the

# Railroad Time Tables

## CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago	2:35 a. m.	2:10 a. m.
Milwaukee	12:35 p. m.	7:35 a. m.
and the East	12:40 p. m.	10:45 a. m.
	2:25 p. m.	4:55 p. m.
Winona	3:20 a. m.	12:30 p. m.
St. Paul & Minneapolis	7:15 a. m.	12:35 a. m.
	10:55 a. m.	8:25 p. m.
	5:15 p. m.	11:00 p. m.
		12:25 p. m.

Dubuque, Rock Island, Omaha and West	a 12:05 p. m.	a 11:20 a. m.
	a 3:50 p. m.	a 4:55 p. m.
Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:30 a. m.	a 11:20 p. m.
	c 7:50 p. m.	a 3:45 p. m.

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

## CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night	8:30 a. m.
	2:25 a. m.	8:09 a. m.
	11:50 a. m.	6:00 p. m.
For Winona, Albia, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	8:30 a. m.	12:15 night
	8:09 a. m.	12:25 a. m.
	1:30 p. m.	12:14 noon
	6:00 p. m.	

## CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 8:00 a. m.	b 5:30 a. m.
	a 12:35 p. m.	a 12:15 p. m.
	b 10:40 p. m.	a 5:30 p. m.
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	b 5:30 a. m.	a 8:00 a. m.
	a 12:15 p. m.	a 12:35 p. m.
	a 5:30 p. m.	b 10:40 p. m.

References: a, daily except Sunday; b, daily

## GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.

To and From	Leave La Crosse	Arrive La Crosse
Arcadia, Blair, Independence, Whitehall, Merrill, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London, Green Bay & Kewaunee	A8:15 a. m.	A4:40 pm

A Daily except Sunday

## KEWAUNEE SHORT LINE

GREEN BAY & WESTERN RAILROAD	KEWAUNEE GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.
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Popular Route	Short Line
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Green Bay	New York
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La Crosse	Philadelphia
Stevens Point	Washington
Grand Rapids	Buffalo, Detroit, Toledo
St. Paul	
Minneapolis	
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	Green Bay, Wis.

important points on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. May this prophet's vision and poet's dream be fully realized in the La Crescent of the coming years!

**How to Avoid Pneumonia**  
You can avoid pneumonia and other serious results from a cold by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough and expels the cold from the system as it is mildly laxative. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

**Notice of Application to County Court**  
State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County—ss. In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of La Crosse, in said county, on the first Tuesday, being the 5th day of February, A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of John Hanson Jr., to admit to probate the last will and testament of John Hanson Sr., late of the town of Washington, in said county of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.

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# JANUARY CLEARANCE

We have selected out of our stock a lot of odd Suits, about one hundred in all, worth from twelve-fifty to twenty dollars, not all sizes in any lot, but there are all sizes in the lot. We are going to put them on sale at

# \$9.75

We do not say these are the latest cut, because they are not, but they will make splendid suits for little money for any one that does work where stylish clothes are not required.

We have also selected about fifty Young Men's Suits in single and double breasted styles, sizes 15 to 19, on which we will make a discount of 33 1/3%.

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We have several other good things too for those that come in.

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### AT THE THEATERS

"The Heir to the Throne" is making a rather complete tour of the south and west this season, taking in Salt Lake City, Denver and San Francisco, then Portland, Seattle and other cities in the Puget Sound country of the northwest. The La Shelle production of Paul Armstrong's sprightly comedy met with great favor in this section last season, and its return engagement is in response to popular demand, as voiced through the various managers of theaters where the piece was played last year. It is to be an early offering at the La Crosse theater.

Genuine and wholesome comedy as we have not had since the days of the Augustin Daly companies will be the vogue at the La Crosse theater Saturday afternoon and evening, Jan. 12, when that capital actor, Mr. Max Figman will present the most conspicuous comedy success of the past season in New York city, "The Man on the Box," dramatized by Grace Livingston Furniss from Harold McGrath's immensely successful book of the same name. Mr. Figman's name is familiar to all theater goers who have followed the events of the Metropolitan stage for the past ten years. He is an actor of rare attainment and quality with an individual method that is appealing and a marked personal magnetism. His experience has covered almost every form of dramatic art and his success has been pronounced as his versatility. He is also a close student of the drama and has been stage manager for a number of New York productions. Max Figman has been qualified to star for years

but has held back until the most auspicious occasion was presented. He is now a fixed satellite in the dramatic firmament, being under contract with Mr. John Cort for a term of years, with provision that he shall be supplied with a new play every year by a successful author and placed for an annual engagement on Broadway. Mr. Figman brings with him an elaborate production and a cast of clever players including the delightful actress Miss Helen Holmes, Miss Clara Louise Chapman, Miss Beatrice McClure, Miss Ceta Woodland Bennett and Messrs. Morgan Wallace, Wilson Forbes, John C. Brownell, Frank H. Ringer, George Centre, Ernest P. Orr, Reginald Elfe, Marshall Franklin, Edward Johnson and John Pearson.

"The Man on the Box" was a happy selection for Mr. Figman's tour inasmuch as the title role fits him as though it were written expressly for him. He is the every personification of the dashing army officer who falls in love with a pretty girl on a steamer, later by mistake abducts her and afterward she seeks to turn the joke upon him and find out his identity accepts her offer to be her groom, in order that he may be near her always. This material furnishes abundant opportunity of comedy of the finest calibre and at the same time contains all the elements of a play of deep heart interest. The dialogue is crisp and witty and the dramatic situations in many instances profoundly impressive and interesting. A noteworthy feature in connection with this engagement is that it is one of the few opportunities where a syndicate town can see what was originally an anti-syndicate success.

#### Treat at Unique

The theatergoing public of La Crosse has this week one of the greatest treats that it has ever had in the moving pictures at the Unique

theater on Third street.

The management has spared no expense in procuring the finest lot of pictures that the makers could supply, and when one has seen them they will know it to be true. The performance opens with "A Clown's Revenge." This film is highly amusing and sends the audience into a convulsion of laughter. The next, "Dolly Varden, a Romance," taken from the opera of that name, is also very good, which goes to show that the course of true love never runs smooth and that love laughs at locksmiths. It shows the elopement, the father's pursuit, his holdup by highwaymen, his deliverance by his prospective son-in-law and all of which has a happy ending. "The Last Witch" and "A Poor Artist's Dream" are marvels of beauty, rich coloring and splendor.

These pictures have got to be seen to be fully appreciated. The management has been very fortunate in obtaining the services of Eric Carrington, to sing the illustrated songs. He has a rich, sweet voice and his rendering of the songs is worth the admission asked. His enunciation is clear and every word of his songs is clearly heard and understood in every part of the auditorium. Mr. Carrington is an old favorite with theatergoers. His last appearance in this city was with the Morey Stock company.

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### BAILEY PROBABLY SAFE

(Special Tribune Service.)

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 8.—The state legislature which is to name a successor to Joseph W. Bailey in the United States senate assembled today. The indications are that Bailey will be re-elected, though, even in the opinion of his friends, he has most narrowly escaped political annihilation as a result of the exposure of his dealings with the Standard Oil interests. It is the consensus of opinion that if the exposure had come before the state primary was held it would have meant Bailey's defeat. But as it is there has been a noticeable weakening in the antagonism of many opponents who at first seemed dead set against him. This in no small way is due to the determination of party leaders to prevent a serious break in the rank and file. Moreover, the opposition has been unable to agree upon a possible successor of Mr. Bailey, in case of his defeat. All of these conditions have combined to favor Bailey's chances of re-election.

Aside from the choice of a senator the present session of the legislature will have enough business to keep its hands full until time for adjournment.

Revenue and taxation are the two most important matters to come up for consideration. A readjustment in taxation is deemed absolutely necessary in order to overcome the deficiency in the state treasury. Measures dealing with the liquor traffic will occupy considerable prominence and it is possible another attempt may be made to greatly increase the saloon license. Election laws also will receive attention at the session.

#### How to Avoid Appendicitis

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